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The National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) is pleased to provide this Handbook detailing its programs, services and operational procedures. As the national leader and advocate for high school sports and performing arts programs, the NFHS encourages participation in these vital programs. The values and lessons learned through participation in these programs help prepare students for life after high school. Interscholastic activities are an integral part of the educational curriculum and represent one of the most important American traditions in our schools. The responsibility of retaining their place within the educational process of young people now rests with us. We are confident that our combined efforts will meet the opportunities and challenges within an ever-changing society here in America and the rest of the world.

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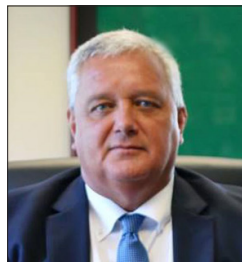
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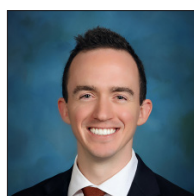
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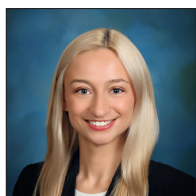
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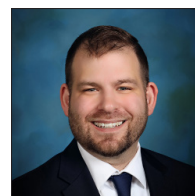
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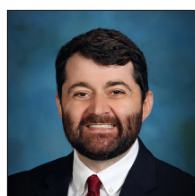
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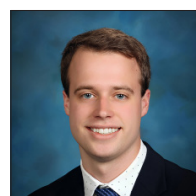
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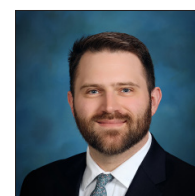
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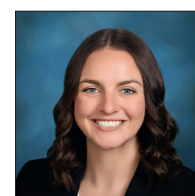
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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1 – NAME, MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

1.1 Name

This organization shall be known as the National Federation of State High School Associations.

1.2 Vision Statement

The National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) is the national leader for education-based high school athletics and activities, which prepare tomorrow's leaders for the next level of life through innovative programs, healthy participation, achievement, and development of positive relationships.

Mission Statement

The National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) serves its members by providing leadership for the administration of education-based high school athletics and activities through the writing of playing rules that emphasize health and safety, educational programs that develop leaders, and administrative support to increase opportunities and promote sportsmanship.

We believe:

Student participation in education-based high school athletics and activities:

- Is a privilege.
- Enriches the educational experience.
- Encourages academic achievement.
- Promotes respect, integrity and sportsmanship.
- Prepares for the future in a global community.
- Develops leadership and life skills.
- Fosters the inclusion of diverse populations.
- Promotes healthy lifestyles and safe competition.
- Encourages a positive school/community culture.
- Should be fun.

The NFHS:

- Serves as a national authority that promotes and protects the defining values of education-based high school athletics and activities in collaboration with its member state associations.
- Serves as a national authority on competition rules while promoting fair play and seeking to minimize risk of injury for student participants in education-based high school athletics and activities.
- Promotes lifelong health and safety values through participation.
- Develops and delivers impactful, innovative and engaging educational programs to serve the changing needs of state associations, administrators, coaches, directors, officials, students and parents.
- Provides professional development opportunities for member state association staffs.
- Promotes cooperation, collaboration and communication with and among state associations.
- Collects and provides data analysis in order to allow its membership to make informed decisions.

1.3 Objectives

The objectives of the NFHS shall be:

- (a) to serve and enhance the education-based high school athletic and activity programs provided by the members for their schools and students;
- (b) to promote the educational value of education-based high school athletics and activities programs;
- (c) to administer those activities which, in the determination of the members, can best be conducted on a national level;
- (d) to sponsor meetings, publications, courses and activities for the benefit of members, related professional groups and their constituents;
- (e) to promote efficiency in the administration of education-based high school athletic and activity programs;
- (f) to formulate, copyright and publish competition rules for education-based high school athletic and activity programs;
- (g) to preserve the records, tradition and heritage of education-based high school athletic and activity programs;
- (h) to provide programs, services and resources to members, and individual professionals involved in the conduct and administration of education-based high school athletic and activity programs;
- (i) to identify and address current issues related to education-based high school athletic and activity programs and work toward their solution;

- (j) to serve in the collection and dissemination of data and best practices to state associations;
- (k) to promote safety and encourage healthy lifestyles in education-based high school athletic and activity programs.

ARTICLE 2 – MEMBERSHIP

2.1 Voting Members

The voting members of the NFHS shall be state* high school athletic/activity associations. A state high school athletic/activity association may become a voting member of the NFHS provided:

* The word “state” as used herein includes the District of Columbia.

- (a) it files application with the Board of Directors of the NFHS which shall recommend action on the application to the National Council.
- (b) it submits a copy of its Constitution and Bylaws with the application.
- (c) it is the governing or coordinating body for interscholastic athletics recognized by the majority of high schools in the state.
- (d) its governing board adopts and agrees to comply with the Constitution and Bylaws of the NFHS by resolution.
- (e) its application is approved by the National Council of the NFHS by a two-thirds (2/3) favorable vote from those member delegates present and voting at the National Council meeting when the application is acted upon.

2.2 Affiliate Members

Affiliate membership, with right of participation in meetings and activities as determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, but without voting privileges or eligibility for elected or appointed offices or assignments, may be granted to organizations that meet any one of the following criteria:

- (a) **Alternate/Other Athletic Associations** - a state high school athletic/activity association for boys and/or girls that is one of such state’s governing or coordinating bodies for interscholastic athletics; or
- (b) **Performing Arts Associations (Note exception: may nominate persons for performing arts committee service)** - a professional educators association or high school association which sponsors, conducts, oversees and/or promotes interscholastic fine arts or other non-athletic activities within a state served by a voting member, provided such voting member does not have jurisdiction over the interscholastic programs sponsored by such association; or
- (c) **Elementary/Middle School Associations** - a state middle school or junior high school athletic/activity association.
- (d) **U.S. Government Associations** - a subdivision of a department or agency of the United States government, which subdivision is charged with the administration of sports or activities programs for a specifically identified group of high schools located in this and/or other nations; or
- (e) **International Associations** - a high school association in another country, or in a territory or a possession of the United States.

The terms and conditions of such affiliate memberships shall be fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors.

2.2.1 Procedure for Consideration of Affiliate Members

A prospective affiliate membership application must meet the applicable criteria below as well as the other criteria found in the Application for Affiliate Membership before the National Council will consider such application. Such prospective affiliate member:

- (a) must complete and submit this application and provide all required materials to the NFHS.
- (b) must allow the NFHS to evaluate the application in consultation with applicable voting member(s) where applicant’s schools are located.
- (c) must satisfy (a) and (b) above, at which time, the application will be forwarded and presented to the NFHS National Council for consideration.
- (d) hereby acknowledges that if admitted, it will not have sanctioning authority, as authority for sanctioning is solely a responsibility of the voting member in such state(s);
- (e) hereby acknowledges that affiliate membership does not grant permission for playing privileges against voting members’ schools in that state or any other state, as voting members retain jurisdiction to determine against whom their member schools can play; and
- (f) hereby acknowledges that its annual membership is subject to renewal by the National Council, in consultation with applicable voting member(s) where applicant’s schools are located, and that its membership may expire at the conclusion of any school year (on or about July 1) with or without cause.

- (g) hereby acknowledges that before using the NFHS name or marks in any marketing or promotional medium, including but not limited to letters, emails, brochures or websites, it must first obtain the written consent of the executive director or chief operating officer of the NFHS for each usage.

2.3 Annual Service Fees

Annual service fees for voting members and affiliate members shall be established by the National Council and shall be payable August 1 for the fiscal year. Fees must be paid no later than September 30.

ARTICLE 3 – ORGANIZATION

3.1 Governance Structure

For the purpose of providing a geographic representation in the governance structures of the NFHS, the nation shall be divided into sections as follows:

Section 1 — Northeast

Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Rhode Island, Vermont

Section 2 — Mideast

Delaware, District of Columbia, Kentucky, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia

Section 3 — South

Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee

Section 4 — Central

Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin

Section 5 — Midwest

Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota

Section 6 — Southwest

Arkansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

Section 7 — West

Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, Utah

Section 8 — Northwest

Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming

Upon written or electronic (non-oral) request by any voting member, the Board of Directors shall review section memberships and recommend to the National Council any changes it deems appropriate in light of historical factors, geography and member state preferences. Alternatively, a voting member may submit a proposed amendment in accordance with the provisions of Article 12. Any change in section composition will be implemented only after approval by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the National Council as required by the Constitution.

3.2 National Council

3.2.1 Purpose and Authority

The National Council shall be the legislative body of the NFHS. It shall have the authority to enact amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws and to perform all other duties set forth herein.

3.2.2 Composition

The National Council shall consist of one (1) representative from each voting member. Such representative and alternates shall be selected by the voting member from among the members of its governing board or administrative staff.

3.2.3 Term of Office

There shall be no limitation on the number of terms any individual may serve as representative or alternate.

3.2.4 Meetings

The National Council shall hold two (2) regular meetings per year. Additional meetings may be called by the president of the NFHS as necessary, and must be called by the president upon petition from the delegates from

a minimum of twenty (20) percent of the voting members. Meetings of the National Council shall be held at such places as may be determined by the Board of Directors, provided written or electronic notice of such meetings shall be sent by the executive director to the offices of each voting member at least thirty (30) days preceding the meetings.

3.2.5 Non-Voting Attendees

All members of the governing boards and executive office staffs of the voting members may attend meetings of the National Council and participate in its discussions. Representatives of affiliate members may attend meetings of the National Council and, with the prior approval of the chair, participate in its discussions.

3.2.6 Quorum

A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of representatives of a majority of the NFHS' voting members.

3.2.7 Parliamentary Rules

The parliamentary rules of the National Council shall be Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised.

3.2.8 Voting Privileges

Each voting member shall be entitled to one (1) vote on all issues brought before the National Council. The selected representative or properly selected alternate shall be the only authorized representative to cast the voting member's vote. Proxy designation shall not be permitted.

3.2.9 Powers and Duties

The National Council shall:

- (a) establish an annual membership fee;
- (b) elect representatives to the Board of Directors at the annual summer meeting;
- (c) elect members of the Appeal Board at the annual summer meeting;
- (d) act on all proposals to amend the Constitution and Bylaws;
- (e) act on all requests for membership in the NFHS;
- (f) enact resolutions;
- (g) receive reports, and
- (h) provide advice to the Board of Directors.

3.3 Board of Directors

3.3.1 Purpose and Authority

The Board of Directors shall have the power and authority to conduct the business of the NFHS, interpret the Constitution and Bylaws, exercise all powers and duties expressed or implied in this Constitution and Bylaws, and to act as an administrative board in the interpretation of and final decision on all questions arising from the directing of the affairs of the National Federation of State High School Associations. The Board of Directors shall conduct all business of the NFHS, shall be empowered to employ a chief executive officer with such assistants as may be found necessary to carry on the affairs of the NFHS, and shall provide office facilities and other employees for the proper conduct of the business of the NFHS.

3.3.2 Composition

The Board of Directors shall be comprised of twelve (12) members elected by the National Council from the membership of the governing boards or chief executive officers of the voting member state associations. (a) One (1) representative shall be elected from each of the eight (8) sections established by the Board of Directors. (b) In addition, four (4) at-large representatives shall be elected from voting member state association governing boards, one (1) from each combination of two sections as follows: Sections 1 and 4; Sections 2 and 6; Sections 3 and 7; Sections 5 and 8.

3.3.3 Eligibility to Serve

Each individual elected to the Board of Directors must be a current member of a voting member association's governing board or the current chief executive officer of a voting member association. Eligibility to serve on the Board of Directors, in the event a member ceases to be a voting member of the governing board or the chief executive officer of the state association from which elected, shall be determined by the following criteria:

- (a) if service as a chief executive officer or as a governing board member ceases because of death, retirement, incapacity, resignation or because of a change of residence out of the NFHS section from which

elected, the section shall have the privilege of naming an eligible replacement to serve on the Board of Directors until the next annual meeting of the National Council, when a new Board member shall be elected to serve for the remainder of the unexpired term; or

- (b) if state association service ceases for any reason other than those stated in (a), the member shall continue to be eligible to represent the NFHS section on the Board of Directors for the remainder of the four-year term; or
- (c) if a board member is temporarily unable to serve due to an incapacitating injury, illness or personal circumstance, the section shall have the privilege of naming an eligible replacement to serve as an interim member of the Board of Directors until the elected Board member can resume duties. The same privilege shall apply in the case of an elected Board member who recuses from Board service due to that member becoming a candidate for the NFHS CEO position. The interim member shall have full voting and other participation privileges on the Board of Directors.

3.3.4 Election

Board of Directors members shall be elected at the annual summer meeting of the National Council. The Board of Directors shall include among its members male, female and minority representation.

3.3.4.1 Nominations

Each section shall have an opportunity to nominate a candidate to be its representative on the Board of Directors. In addition, nominations shall be entertained from the floor. The ballot shall consist of all those nominated by either of these procedures.

3.3.4.2 Balloting

Any candidate who receives a majority of the votes cast shall be declared elected. If no candidate for a particular seat on the Board receives a majority vote, the names of the two (2) candidates having the largest number of votes shall again be placed on a ballot and a second vote between these candidates shall be conducted to determine the representative.

3.3.4.3 Ties

In the event of a tie vote, a second ballot shall be conducted. If there should still be a tie, the winner shall be chosen by lot.

3.3.5 Staggered Terms

The term of office of each section representative shall be four (4) years and staggered so two (2) terms expire at each annual summer meeting. The term of each at-large representative shall be four (4) years, and staggered so that one (1) term expires at each annual summer meeting. No one person shall serve more than one (1) consecutive term. A voting member shall not be represented on the Board of Directors, either by section or at-large, by more than one member.

3.3.6 Officers

The officers of the NFHS shall be a president and a president-elect, who shall be elected by the Board of Directors from among its members. The chief executive officer shall serve as permanent secretary-treasurer and shall perform such duties as assigned by the Board.

3.3.7 Meetings

The Board of Directors shall meet quarterly, on dates and at a time and place determined by the Board. Special meetings may be called by the president and must be called upon written or electronic request of any three (3) members of the Board. The Board of Directors may meet by telephone or video conference to address administrative, time-sensitive or emergency matters. A Board member who for good cause is unable to attend an "in-person" meeting may participate and vote by telephone or video conference.

3.3.8 Authority

The Board of Directors shall have the authority to administer the affairs of the corporation and to enforce the provisions of the Constitution and Bylaws.

3.3.9 Powers and Duties

The Board of Directors shall:

- (a) provide office facilities, a chief executive officer and other necessary employees for the proper conduct of the business of the NFHS;

- (b) establish and maintain a retirement and/or employee benefits plan for full-time NFHS employees;
- (c) approve an annual budget, receive periodic financial reports and review an annual audit;
- (d) oversee the investment and management of all funds;
- (e) establish standing committees, including rules committees, and special committees;
- (f) establish procedures for the formulation, publication and/or distribution of playing rules, and establish and maintain liaison with other rules-writing bodies;
- (g) receive and approve or reject, in whole or in part, rules changes promulgated by sports rules committees;
- (h) determine the existence of violations of the NFHS Constitution or Bylaws by member associations and penalize such violations by censure, probation, suspension, expulsion or other action deemed appropriate;
- (i) establish and publish policies, procedures, criteria and application forms for sanctioning of interstate and international competition, within the authority and parameters of Article 17 of the Bylaws;
- (j) receive and approve plans and policies recommended by standing and special committees, staff and state association members;
- (k) enact resolutions;
- (l) exercise all powers and duties expressed or implied in this Constitution and Bylaws, including interpretation of same;
- (m) establish, from time to time, staff and facilities-sharing relationships with independent non-profit professional organizations for as long as the relationship serves to advance the purposes and objectives of each participant organization.

3.4 Appeal Board

3.4.1 Purpose and Authority

The Appeal Board shall be the body that reviews Board of Directors' determinations about Constitution and Bylaws violations by members.

3.4.2 Election and Procedures

- (a) The Appeal Board shall consist of eight (8) members, elected by the National Council from the membership of the governing boards and chief executive officers of the voting members. Elections shall be by the National Council as a whole with one member selected from each of the eight (8) NFHS sections. The term of office shall be four (4) years and the terms shall be staggered so two (2) terms expire at each annual summer meeting. No one person shall serve more than one (1) consecutive term. Election procedures as outlined in Section 3.3.4 shall be followed when electing members to the Appeal Board. No active members of the Board of Directors shall be eligible for election to membership on the Appeal Board, and if a member of the Appeal Board is appointed to the Board of Directors, they shall forfeit their position on the Appeal Board.
- (b) A quorum of five (5) members of the Appeal Board shall be required for the purpose of hearing any appeal and a majority vote of the members present for such hearing shall be required for any action of the Appeal Board. Prior to each meeting of the Appeal Board, a chairperson shall be elected from the Appeal Board members to serve as chairperson of that meeting.
- (c) No member of the Appeal Board shall, in his or her capacity as such member, participate in the hearing of any appeal or act upon any matter which involves or will affect a member association with which such member is associated by reason of employment or the holding of the position of governing board member.

3.4.3 Appeals of Penalties

Any member expelled, suspended or otherwise penalized under provision of Section 3.3.9(h) may pursue an appeal as follows:

- (a) within thirty (30) days from the date of publication of a decision affecting the member, the member shall notify the chief executive officer of the NFHS of its appeal;
- (b) within ten (10) days, the chief executive officer shall arrange for a hearing for such appeal before the Appeal Board of the NFHS;
- (c) within twenty (20) days, the Appeal Board shall hear said appeal unless said ten (10) day period is extended for an additional period of time as specified and agreed upon by the parties to the hearing;
- (d) within thirty (30) days of the hearing, the Appeal Board shall render a decision in writing or electronically. The Appeal Board may sustain, revoke, modify or amend the decision of the Board of Directors.

3.4.4 Procedures

The Appeal Board shall establish procedures for the hearing and determination of appeals.

BYLAWS

ARTICLE 10 – NATIONAL COUNCIL

10.1 Agendas

Agenda items may be submitted by any voting member, the Board of Directors, the president, the president-elect or the chief executive officer. Proposed amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws must be submitted in accordance with Section 12.2. All other proposed agenda items shall be submitted in writing or electronically not less than ninety (90) days in advance of a regularly scheduled meeting. Such items received following the completion of the agenda may be added with the approval of the president prior to the beginning of a meeting.

10.2 Votes

All certified delegates from voting members are entitled to one (1) vote.

10.3 Actions

Actions of the National Council are determined by the National Council as a whole and based on majority rule, except as provided in Article 12.

ARTICLE 11 – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

11.1 Agendas

Agenda items may be submitted by any voting member, members of the Board of Directors or the executive director. They shall be submitted at least fourteen (14) days in advance of a regularly scheduled meeting. Items received following the completion of the agenda may be added with the approval of the president and Board prior to the beginning of a meeting.

11.2 Votes

All members of the Board of Directors, including the president, are entitled to one (1) vote.

11.3 Actions

Actions by the Board of Directors are determined by the Board of the whole and based on a majority vote.

11.4 Action by Conference Call or Consent

Action by telephone conference call when a quorum is involved, or by unanimous consent given by way of writing, fax or other electronic means of communication is considered official action of the Board of Directors. All actions so taken shall be recorded in official minutes.

11.5 Budget

At its annual summer meeting, the Board of Directors shall adopt a budget for the new fiscal year, which begins August 1 and concludes July 31. The Board of Directors shall establish the salary of the executive director and approve the total amount to be budgeted for NFHS staff salaries. The chief executive officer, who is responsible for the employment of a headquarters staff, shall establish staff salaries for the succeeding year in compliance with the total salary budget approved by the Board of Directors.

11.6 Circulation of Budget to Membership

Once the budget is adopted, a copy shall be sent to each voting member.

11.7 Engagement of Chief Executive Officer

The Board of Directors shall employ a chief executive officer. The chief executive officer shall be responsible for the general administration of the NFHS headquarters; employ an administrative and support staff within the budgetary limitations established by the Board of Directors; screening of all applicants, hiring and any dismissal of staff members. In addition, the chief executive officer shall determine staff salaries with the exception of the CEO's salary, which shall be established by the Board of Directors. The chief executive officer shall serve as the secretary-treasurer of the NFHS.

11.8 Establishment of Committees

The Board of Directors shall establish all NFHS committees. The Board of Directors shall appoint members to rules committees, all other standing committees, and special committees.

11.9 Nomination and Appointment of Committee Members

Prior to the annual summer meeting, committee membership nomination forms shall be distributed to voting

members within each NFHS section from which there will be appointments. Nominations, along with support information, shall be made available to Board of Directors members prior to the Board meeting. Committee appointments shall be made during the annual summer meeting or as soon thereafter as reasonably practicable. Members of special committees or replacements of committee members may be appointed at other meetings or via mail ballot. The Board of Directors shall appoint the chairperson for each committee.

11.10 Removal and Replacement of Committee Members

The Board of Directors shall have the power to remove chairpersons and other committee members at any time for non-attendance or other cause as it determines. In the event of death, resignation or removal of any committee member, the Board of Directors may appoint a replacement committee member for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE 12 – LEGISLATIVE ACTIONS

12.1 Amendments

The NFHS Constitution and Bylaws shall be amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the National Council. The adoption of a motion to amend the Constitution or Bylaws is an act of corporate governance.

12.2 Amendment Procedure

Amendments may be submitted by a voting member through its chief executive officer on behalf of its governing board or by the Board of Directors. Such proposals shall be submitted in writing or electronically to the NFHS chief executive officer not less than sixty-one (61) days in advance of the meeting of the National Council at which time they are to be considered and shall be submitted by the NFHS chief executive officer to the chief executive officers of all voting members not less than sixty (60) days in advance of the said meeting. Amendments must be voted upon as submitted, except for changes in wording which are approved by the representative of the submitting voting member and are agreed to by a majority of the voting members represented at the meeting at which the proposal is being considered.

Amendments to the Constitution or Bylaws, adopted by the National Council, shall become effective on August 1 following the date of their adoption, or on another date stipulated by the submitting voting member provided such date is not less than thirty (30) days after the amendment is adopted by the National Council.

In the event of an emergency, the Board of Directors may, at its discretion, submit an amendment to the voting members for approval by certified mail. A two-thirds (2/3) favorable vote of a quorum, as described in Section 3.2.6, shall be required for passage of such amendment. If passed, the amendment is effective immediately but only until the next regular meeting of the National Council at which time the amendment shall be resubmitted for the regularly prescribed action.

12.3 Resolutions

A resolution is a formal expression of the opinion or sentiment of the resolving body (i.e., the National Council or the Board of Directors). It may be, for example, an expression of principle, joy, sorrow, approval or disapproval. The adoption of a resolution is not an act of corporate governance, and a resolution does not become part of the NFHS Constitution or Bylaws. A resolution shall be adopted by majority vote.

ARTICLE 13 – OFFICERS

13.1 Titles

The officers of the NFHS shall be a president and president-elect and a secretary-treasurer.

13.2 President

The president shall preside at meetings of the National Council and Board of Directors, and shall perform such other duties as may from time to time be directed by the Board of Directors.

13.3 President-Elect

The president-elect shall, in the president's absence, preside at meetings of the National Council and Board of Directors, and shall perform such other duties as may from time to time be directed by the Board of Directors.

13.4 Secretary-Treasurer

The secretary-treasurer shall maintain the corporate records and the financial records of the NFHS.

13.5 Election of Officers

At each annual summer meeting, the Board of Directors shall elect a president-elect from among the members of the Board of Directors with two (2) or more years remaining in their four-year term.

13.6 Term of Office

The president and president-elect shall each serve a one-year term from annual summer meeting to annual summer meeting. Except for a president-elect who has been elected to fill an unexpired term, no president or president-elect is eligible for re-election within the limit of the four-year term.

13.7 Ordinary Succession to Presidency

At the conclusion of the annual summer meeting at which the president's term expires, the president-elect shall succeed to the presidency.

13.8 Extraordinary Succession to Presidency

If the office of president becomes vacant because of death, resignation or other emergency, the president-elect shall immediately succeed to the office of president for the remainder of the unexpired term and for the full following year's term.

13.9 Extraordinary Election of President-Elect

If the office of president-elect becomes vacant because of death, resignation or other emergency, or by extraordinary succession of the president-elect to the presidency, then the Board of Directors, at its next regular or special meeting, shall elect a new president-elect from among the members of the Board of Directors with more than one (1) year remaining in their four-year term. If the new president-elect shall be eligible, that individual may be elected to a full term as president-elect at the next annual summer meeting.

ARTICLE 14 – STANDING COMMITTEES

14.1 Rules Committees

14.1.1 Purpose and Authority

Each rules committee shall oversee rules for the sport under its jurisdiction, and shall promulgate rules changes from time to time as it deems would: (a) maintain the sound traditions of its sport, (b) encourage sportsmanship, and (c) minimize the inherent risk of injury.

14.1.2 Composition

Each rules committee (except the Football Rules Committee) shall have a base composition of not more than eleven (11) members, one of whom, to the extent practicable, shall come from each section. In addition, each of the following committees – baseball, basketball, music, soccer, softball, speech, spirit, swimming and diving, track and field, volleyball and wrestling – shall have four (4) additional members who shall be appointed on a rotational basis. The chair shall be appointed at large. In addition, one (1) member of each rules committee may be appointed from the NFHS Coaches Association and one (1) from the NFHS Officials Association. The Football Rules Committee shall be comprised of one (1) member from the NFHS Coaches Association, one (1) member from the NFHS Officials Association and one (1) member from each voting member playing football under NFHS rules.

14.1.3 Consultants

Consultants (e.g., a physician, an attorney) may attend and participate in rules committee meetings on a non-voting basis at the discretion of the chairperson and with the approval of the NFHS chief executive officer.

14.1.4 Committee Actions

All rules changes or other recommendations for submission to the Board of Directors are to be adopted by a vote of the committee.

14.1.5 Rules Review Committee

Each rules committee shall submit any recommended rules changes to a Rules Review Committee consisting of staff persons serving as rules interpreters. The Rules Review Committee shall review the proposed rule for substantive soundness, for budgetary impact on high schools and state associations, and for consistency with NFHS policy and publishing style. The Rules Review Committee shall forward its consent or other comments, in writing or electronically, to the Board of Directors.

14.2 Other Standing Committees

The Board of Directors may from time to time establish other standing committees to study, evaluate and propose responses to issues or areas of concern related to interscholastic athletics and performing arts activities.

ARTICLE 15 – SPECIAL COMMITTEES

15.1 Establishment and Purpose

The Board of Directors may from time to time establish special committees to study, evaluate and propose responses to issues or areas of concern related to interscholastic athletics and performing arts activities.

ARTICLE 16 – ANCILLARY PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

16.1 Purpose and Authority

The Board of Directors may establish, from time to time, associations designed to serve the needs of professionals working in the areas of interscholastic athletics and performing arts activities. Such associations shall have the authority, subject to the ultimate control of the Board of Directors, to engage in such activities as they deem will advance the interests of interscholastic athletics and performing arts activities, and of their members.

16.2 Policies and Procedures

Each such organization shall establish membership criteria, a governance structure, a mission statement, a planning process, a budgetary procedure and a dues structure. Each such ancillary professional organization shall report to the Board of Directors not less often than annually (or at more frequent intervals if the Board shall so direct) and shall conduct its affairs under the ultimate authority of the Board.

ARTICLE 17 – ATHLETIC SANCTIONING

Each voting member shall sanction through the NFHS competition by a member school in any of the following contests:

1. **Co-sponsoring Sanction Requirement:** Any interstate competition involving two (2) or more schools which is co-sponsored by an organization outside the high school community (e.g., a university, a theme park, a shoe company), in addition to being sponsored by a member school, an approved school or a state association, shall require sanction of the NFHS office. At the request of a voting member and with the approval of the Board of Directors, the NFHS may undertake additional sanctioning responsibilities pertaining to events within such voting member's state.
2. **Non-bordering State Sanction Requirement:** Subject to subparagraph 1, no sanction is required from the NFHS office if all competing schools, regardless of the number of competing schools, are from states which border the host state. Each state association shall sanction through the NFHS office interstate competition by a member school involving either:
 - a. More than eight (8) schools, at least one (1) of which is from a state that does not border the host state; or
 - b. Five (5) or more states, at least one (1) of which does not border the host state.

If the voting member in the state in which an event is to be conducted is unwilling or unable to serve as the host state association for purposes of athletic sanctioning, but has no objection to a second voting member serving as the host state association, then such second state association may so serve. In such event, the host school for the event, with all the responsibilities thereby entailed, must be from the state of the second state association.

Competition involving border states, and all other configurations of interstate competition not requiring the sanction of the NFHS office, shall be sanctioned by the state associations involved according to their own procedures.

Each voting member shall approve and receive NFHS approval of competition by a member school in an athletic event under that voting member's jurisdiction against a school from a foreign country, except for two (2) school and three (3) school competition with a school or schools from Canada or Mexico which necessitates a round trip of less than 600 miles.

The Board of Directors shall establish and publish policies, procedures, criteria and application forms for sanctioning domestic and international competition. Sanction shall not be granted for any tournament, meet or other contest to qualify for and/or determine a single national high school individual champion or championship team. Championships for athletes with disabilities shall not require NFHS sanction.

In all interstate contests each voting member shall require each participating school to follow the contest rules of the voting member of which it is a member, or rules which have been approved by the voting member for interstate competition.

No voting member shall permit a member school to compete in any contest in any other state if the contest involves conditions which would violate the regulations or established policies of that school's voting member.

INDEMNIFICATION POLICY

OF NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND AGENTS

Section 1: The National Federation of State High School Associations shall indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of the NFHS) by reason of the fact that the person is or was a director, officer, employee, or agent of the NFHS, or is or was serving at the specific written request or with the written approval of the NFHS Board of Directors as a director,

officer, employee, committee member or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise, against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts to be paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by the person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if the person acted in good faith and in a manner the person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the NFHS, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe the person's conduct was unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, shall not, of itself, create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith and in a manner which the person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the NFHS, and with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had reasonable cause to believe the person's conduct was unlawful.

Section 2: The NFHS shall indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the NFHS to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that the person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the NFHS or is or was serving at the specific written request or with the written approval of the NFHS Board of Directors as a director, officer, employee, committee member or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by the person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if the person acted in good faith and in a manner the person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the NFHS and except that no indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which such person shall have been adjudged to be liable for negligence or misconduct in the performance of the person's duty to the NFHS unless and only to the extent that the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which such court shall deem proper.

Section 3: Any indemnification under Sections 1 and 2 (unless ordered by a court) shall be made by the NFHS only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the director, officer, employee, committee member or agent is proper in the circumstances because the person has met the applicable standards of conduct set forth in Sections 1 and 2, and has acted with such care as an ordinarily prudent person in a like position would use under the same or similar circumstances. Such determination shall be made (1) by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of Board of Directors members who were not parties to such action, suit or proceeding, or (2) if such a quorum is not obtainable, or, even if obtainable a quorum of disinterested Board of Directors members so directs, by independent legal counsel in a written opinion, or (3) by the National Council of the NFHS.

Section 4: Expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding may be paid by the NFHS in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding as authorized in the manner provided in Section 3 upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the director, officer, employee, committee member or agent to repay such amount unless it shall ultimately be determined that the person is entitled to be indemnified by the NFHS as authorized in this indemnification provision.

Section 5: The indemnification provided by this section shall not be deemed exclusive of any other rights to which those indemnified may be entitled under any bylaw, agreement, vote of shareholders or disinterested directors or otherwise, both as to action in the person's official capacity and as to action in another capacity while holding such office, and shall continue as to a person who has ceased to be a director, officer, employee, committee member or agent and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a person.

Section 6: The NFHS may purchase and maintain insurance on behalf of any person who is or was a director, officer, employee, committee member or agent of the NFHS, or is or was serving at the request of the NFHS as a director, officer, employee, committee member or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise against any liability asserted against the person and incurred by the person in any such capacity or arising out of the person's status as such, whether or not the corporation would have the power to indemnify the person against such liability under the provisions of this indemnification provision.

Section 7: The intent of this indemnification is to include NFHS representatives to organizations such as USOC member National Governing Bodies, etc.

Section 8: This indemnification policy shall be effective for acts and/or omissions occurring on or after August 15, 1992, and shall remain in effect until amended or terminated by the NFHS Board of Directors or its successor.

EMPLOYMENT POLICY

FOR NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS EMPLOYEES

The National Federation of State High School Associations shall hire, recruit and promote staff without regard to gender, race, color, national origin, religion, age and disability, in accordance with applicable provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1991, and all other applicable laws, regulations and ordinances.

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

The NFHS is an organization of 50 state high school athletic and/or activity associations and the association of the District of Columbia. Additionally, there are 36 affiliate members of the NFHS, including nine interscholastic associations of the Canadian Provinces of Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Quebec and Saskatchewan. For a complete listing of affiliate members, see pages 88-92.

The NFHS is a member-governed, not-for-profit corporation. Through its national office, the NFHS coordinates and supports rules-making activities, national conferences and educational functions on behalf of its membership.

The NFHS is committed to diversity and inclusiveness in all of its activities.

HISTORY AND ORIGIN OF THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

In May 1920, at the invitation of L.W. Smith, Secretary of the Illinois High School Athletic Association, representatives of the state athletic associations from Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Indiana met in Chicago to discuss common concerns arising out of collegiate and nonschool sponsorship of high school athletic contests. The discussion focused on the conditions of high school athletic events which were organized by colleges, universities and nonschool clubs or promoters. In many cases, these organizations paid little attention to eligibility rules established by high school athletic associations. The group decided that the welfare of student-athletes required greater collaboration and cooperation among the several state associations. From this premise, the representatives present created the Midwest Federation of State High School Athletic Associations. The organization's purpose as stated in Article 11 of the constitution was "... to protect the athletic interests of high schools belonging to the various state associations and to promote pure amateur sport." The group elected L.W. Smith as secretary-treasurer and principal George Edward Marshall, Davenport, Iowa, as the first president. Smith served as the acting executive secretary (director) from 1920 to 1927.

In 1921, the states of Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan became charter members of the Midwest Federation of State High School Athletic Associations. Other state high school associations expressed interest in joining, and in 1923, the name was changed to the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations. In 1927, Charles (C.W.) Whitten succeeded Smith as secretary-treasurer of the National Federation and directed the affairs of both the National Federation and the Illinois High School Athletic Association until 1940.

The organization continued to grow in numbers and scope of function. It addressed the areas of administering contests, interstate competition between and among high school athletic teams, rules making, amateurism/awards and national championships. By 1930, 28 athletic associations were members; by 1940, the membership numbered 35. Finally in 1969, all 50 state associations and the District of Columbia had joined.

During the 1930s, the organization started writing and publishing playing rules. During this decade, the organization began to exercise greater control over the sanctioning of interstate athletic events.

In September 1940, the Executive Committee appointed H.V. Porter of the Illinois High School Athletic Association to become the first full-time executive secretary (director) of the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations.

Through the 1940s, committee activities grew in the organization for individual sports/rules codification. Distribution of rules interpretation materials, such as films and summaries of rules interpretation meetings, increased dramatically. The National Council continued to address and formulate policy on sanctioning interstate high school events. Committee structure was realigned to meet the needs of an emerging independent organization. The National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations developed stronger relationships for recognition and support with other athletic organizations including an agreement with professional baseball to refrain from any actions which might jeopardize the amateur status of high school athletes.

In the 1950s and '60s, the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations became involved in conducting surveys to gain information/data about high school athletics, game administration and the financing of athletic programs. It was also during this time that the organization directed its efforts toward working with athletic administrators and game officials to develop efficiency and consistency governing and controlling contests. The

National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations improved cooperation in sanctioning interstate high school athletic contests. In 1958, H.V. Porter retired and Clifford B. Fagan was appointed as executive secretary.

In 1970, the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations established the performing arts as a program area and the term “athletic” was removed from the name of the organization. Since then, the organization has been known as the National Federation of State High School Associations.

Committees developed rules for boys and girls gymnastics, volleyball, swimming, wrestling, soccer, softball, track and field, field hockey, and ice hockey. Also started in the 1970s were the National Conference of High School Directors of Athletics, the **Interscholastic Athletic Administration** magazine, the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association, administrative staff and national services for speech/music/drama/debate, and the National High School Sports Record Book.

Upon Mr. Fagan’s retirement, Brice B. Durbin was appointed as executive director in 1977. In 1979, the National Federation of State High School Associations moved its office from Elgin, Illinois, to Kansas City, Missouri.

During the 1980s, the National Federation initiated National High School Activities Week, the National Federation Interscholastic Coaches Association, the National Federation Interscholastic Officials Association, the National High School Sports Hall of Fame, the National Federation Officials Equipment Center, the National Federation Interscholastic Music Association, the National Federation Interscholastic Speech and Debate Association, and the National Conference of High School Coaches and Officials. In the 1980s, the National Federation became the sole sponsor of the National Debate Topic Selection Meeting and started the TARGET Program – a national education program for the prevention of student use of drugs, alcohol and tobacco. Additionally, the NFHS published spirit rules and included water polo rules in the swimming rules book.

In the 1990s, the National Federation continued to provide a broad spectrum of quality services for its members. Among the highlights were the start of the National Federation Interscholastic Spirit Association; a governance restructuring plan to change the Executive Committees to the Board of Directors; development of a new Mission Statement, Constitution and Bylaws; starting of publications for high school coaches and officials (National Federation Coaches’ Quarterly and National Federation Officials’ Quarterly); starting of the National Federation Foundation; and the National Federation becoming a founding member of the Citizenship Through Sports Alliance. In addition, in 1993, Brice B. Durbin retired as executive director and Robert F. Kanaby succeeded Mr. Durbin. Also, in 1994, Alvis Johnson of Kentucky was named the first African-American president of the NFHS and, in 1996, Becky Oakes of Missouri was selected as the first female president of the NFHS. In 1997, a new logo was approved and the organization switched from National Federation to NFHS for its simplified name.

In January 2000, the NFHS national office was relocated from Kansas City, Missouri, to Indianapolis, Indiana. That same year, the NFHS hosted the first Girls and Women in Sports Day Luncheon and a national weight-management seminar in Indianapolis. In 2001, the NFHS hosted the first Student Leadership Conference and published the first Sports Medicine Handbook. In 2002, the NFHS entered into major marketing agreements with the Universal Cheerleaders Association, and developed a position statement against the use of supplements by high school athletes.

Other highlights of the organization’s first decade in Indianapolis include launching the NFHS/ASEP Officials Education Program, approving a landmark weight-management program in wrestling and initiating a steroids-awareness program including the development of brochures, posters and DVDs for distribution to more than 16,000 high schools. In 2006, the NFHS entered into a sponsorship agreement with T-Mobile to include a basketball invitational tournament for both boys and girls; and started its own Coach Education Program. In 2007, the NFHS replaced the “NFHS News” with “High School Today.” In 2008, the NFHS developed its “National High School Spirit of Sport Award,” which is presented to eight section winners and one national winner, and the NFHS introduced its “Sportsmanship – It’s Up to You” Toolkit, and launched a national merchandise licensing program to benefit high schools. The third T-Mobile Invitational basketball tournament was held in Muncie, Indiana, in December 2008, and the sixth National Student Leadership Conference was held in Indianapolis.

The 2009-10 academic year marked a change in the NFHS’ leadership as Executive Director Bob Kanaby retired following 17 years of service and was succeeded by Bob Gardner, who had served the previous 10 years as the NFHS’ chief operating officer.

Since 2010, the NFHS has led the way in concussion awareness nationally. The free online course “Concussion in Sports” has been taken by more than four million individuals through the 2018-19 school year, and concussion protocols are outlined in all NFHS rules books. The NFHS Learning Center at www.NFHSLearn.com has more than 70 courses available for coaches, administrators, students, music and speech educators, officials, parents and others. Overall, more than 8.5 million courses have been delivered since the start of the Learning Center in 2007.

The NFHS Network was started in 2013-14 to provide digital streaming of high school sports and other events at www.NFHSNetwork.com. Through five years of operation, the NFHS Network continues to deliver more and more events online.

Bob Gardner retired at the end of the 2017-18 school year, and he was succeeded by Dr. Karissa L. Niehoff, who directed the Connecticut Interscholastic Athletic Conference for seven years before joining the NFHS.

The NFHS celebrated its Centennial during the 2018-19 academic year, which was culminated with the 100th

Summer Meeting on July 2, 2019, in downtown Indianapolis. To kick off the 2019-20 year, the NFHS adopted a new logo for the first time since 1997. During her first seven years, Niehoff has helped the organization to a larger presence as the national advocate and leader of high school athletics and performing arts.

STATEMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

The NFHS, the voice of interscholastic athletics and performing arts activities, exists to promote the sound educational principles of secondary education. Activities are a social force which teach values/achievement for physical, psychological and emotional growth in the education environment.

Participation in activities reinforces responsible social processes. Educational experiences gained through activities programs are opportunities to learn, promote and reinforce the elements that influence students to become productive citizens. The commitment students make to their schools and their teammates help them accept responsibility, recognize self-worth, learn about sportsmanship, gain integrity, promote fairness, enhance optimism and condition themselves to self-sacrifice. As participants, they place the welfare of others ahead of self, accept others regardless of abilities or background, develop self-respect/discipline, and think independently while having a commitment to group or collective goals which go beyond winning. Learning to compete, and learning to prepare to compete, are crucial to the maturation process.

The central commitment of the NFHS is to support and enhance at the national level the interaction between and among the member state associations in their efforts to administer and direct participation of their respective member schools in activities programs.

The NFHS is dedicated to the continued development and maintenance, through common agreement of its members, of rules of play and ancillary educational materials. In turn, the NFHS membership is committed to enhancing and stimulating opportunities for ever-greater numbers of qualified students in athletic and activity programs.

The NFHS membership is committed to keeping school-sponsored contests in perspective as a part of the total educational program at the local, conference, district and state levels.

The NFHS believes it is imperative to maintain cooperative relationships, wherever possible, with other educational and/or nonschool organizations involved in amateur and professional athletics. These relationships can be beneficial to all organizations involved and the individual participants as a means of preserving the integrity of the programs and the eligibility of participants. It is the position of the NFHS that athletics and performing arts activities permit the pursuit of excellence, but they also are for enjoyment, recreation, entertainment, the promotion of healthy lifestyles, sports for the sake of sports and opportunities for greater fulfillment of interests and aptitudes of youth.

The overriding commitment of the NFHS membership is the health, welfare and ethical growth of students who participate directly in high school activities programs. This commitment is being achieved through a continuing, unified effort of the NFHS membership to maintain the highest ideals of fair play and responsible citizenship.

One of the primary missions of the educational process is to teach participants essential skills that will provide for a lifetime of contributions to their communities. Sports and performing arts activities are conduits through which young people feel part of their communities, and thus such activities can be effective vehicles for promoting citizenship.

RATIONALE FOR ELIGIBILITY RULES

Each state association promulgates eligibility rules governing the participation of its respective student-athletes and conduct of its programs. The following represent the general rationale for the areas addressed by state association eligibility rules.

AGE ELIGIBILITY

An age limitation requirement: provides commonality between student-athletes and schools in interscholastic competition; inhibits "redshirting;" allows the participation of younger and less experienced players; enhances the opportunity for more students to participate; promotes equality of competition; avoids over-emphasis on athletics, and helps to diminish the inherent risk of injury associated with participation in interscholastic athletics.

To ensure equality of competition and opportunity, a standard must be established at some point to determine the cut-off date for age eligibility. Use of a specific cut-off date gives notice to all parties involved in interscholastic athletics and maintains equality of participant eligibility among schools.

ENROLLMENT/ATTENDANCE

A student enrollment requirement: promotes loyalty and school spirit which lends itself to cohesion of the student body; helps promote amateurism by drawing athletes only from each school's student population; avoids professionalism and over-emphasis on athletes; discourages "team-shopping," which wrongfully skews the re-

relationships among student-athletes and coaches; secures role models for other students, and allows students in many public schools to participate in interschool athletics for credit in fulfillment of physical education requirement for graduation.

An attendance requirement helps ensure that students will adhere to a school's attendance plan which, in turn, prompts students to maintain the academic standard required for participation and promotes graduation in a common time frame.

MAXIMUM PARTICIPATION

A maximum participation requirement: promotes timely progress toward graduation by discouraging students from delaying or interrupting their high school education; disallows students to enroll for one semester each school year to increase athletic ability and skill; promotes equality of competition; diminishes risks stemming from unequal competition, and places emphasis on the academic mission of the school.

A maximum participation requirement promotes harmony and fair competition among member schools by maintaining equality of eligibility. Each student is afforded the same number of semesters of athletic eligibility, which increases the number of students who will have an opportunity to participate in interscholastic athletics.

A maximum participation requirement is conducive to the prevention of redshirting; helps avoid exploitation by coaches or boosters who otherwise might seek to obtain transfers or to delay a student's normal progress through school, and prevents displacement of younger student-athletes by older student-athletes wishing to protract unfairly their high school athletic careers.

TRANSFER/RESIDENCY

A transfer/residency requirement: assists in the prevention of students switching schools in conjunction with the change of athletic season for athletic purposes; impairs recruitment, and reduces the opportunity for undue influence to be exerted by persons seeking to benefit from a student-athlete's prowess.

A transfer/residency requirement: promotes stability and harmony among member schools by maintaining the amateur standing of high school athletics; by not letting individuals other than enrolled students participate, and by upholding the principle that a student should attend the high school in the district where the student's parent(s) guardian(s) reside.

A transfer/residency requirement: also prohibits foreign students, other than students who are participants in an established foreign exchange program accepted for listing by the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSJET), from displacing other students from athletic opportunities.

ACADEMIC

The primary purpose of high schools is to academically prepare students for productive contributions in their future lives as citizens. Interscholastic activity programs are an extension of the classroom, and academic standards help ensure the balance between participation in the activity and appropriate academic performance. In addition, interscholastic activity programs assist in the educational development of all participants.

Academic standards also promote the objective of graduation from the institution and that student participants are truly representing the academic mission of the institution. Overall, academic standards promote educational standards, underscore the educational values of participating in activities, encourage appropriate academic performance and allow the use of interscholastic participation as a motivator for improved classroom performance.

NON-SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

A restriction on non-school athletic participation protects students who choose to participate on their schools' athletic teams from exploitation by those who seek to capitalize on their skill and/or reputation; avoids risks incident to participation in non-school athletic programs that may have inadequate administrative oversight; discourages outside entities from pressuring student-athletes to miss classes while competing on non-school teams or in non-school events; equalizes competition by reducing any unfair advantage of students who participate in non-school athletics may have over those who do not participate in outside events, and reduces distractions from academic preparation and other school responsibilities. A non-school athletic participation restriction also provides some control over the trend towards year-round competitive sports seasons.

The sanctioning process operates to reduce, or even eliminate, conflicts which may arise due to: time conflicts of practices, games, playoffs, differing coaching philosophies of the school coaching staff and the non-school coaching staff, and team loyalty.

PREPARTICIPATION EVALUATION

High school students comprise one of the nation's healthiest population segments. Nonetheless, there are a number of risk factors that may be mitigated through the use of pre-participation physical evaluations. The NFHS recommends that high schools consider employing such evaluations as a precondition to allowing participation

in school-sponsored athletics and the performing arts. Specimen forms are available through a number of providers, including the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP). While such evaluations are no guarantee against illness or injury, they can help focus attention on known health issues and bring to light previously unknown concerns.

RESTITUTION

A restitution requirement discourages abuse of the court system, which may occur when persons seek interim rulings in court cases not intended to be pursued on the merits; protects equality of competition; helps to prevent exploitation of students, and assures the application of common practices to all participating teams.

A school may be required to make restitution if an ineligible player participates in an interscholastic event under court order, if the case dismissed by the plaintiff before trial on the merits or if the trial court or a higher court later determines that the player was indeed ineligible. Restitution is limited to depriving a high school of a competitive result to which it was not entitled, and is not punitive in nature. In addition, it serves as a means to protect the public purpose of fair play related to the activity.

A fuller discussion may be found in the brief of amicus curiae, the National Federation of State High School Associations, in **Indiana High School Athletic Association v. Reyes**.

AMATEUR/AWARDS

An amateur/awards limitation promotes amateurism; stimulates participation for the sake of the game itself; prevents exploitation of students, and encourages students to engage in athletic competition for physical, mental and social benefits.

RECRUITING/UNDUE INFLUENCE

A recruiting/undue influence prohibition discourages exploitation of students; prevents over-emphasis of athletics; gives average student-athletes more opportunity to participate; discourages adults from jeopardizing a student's eligibility, and prevents misuse of athletic programs.

AGREEMENT WITH PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL

To promote the education of the nation's young people, an agreement between Professional Baseball and the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) has been in effect since 1944. It was approved by then-Commissioner Landis and adopted by the Major and Minor Baseball Leagues in December of that year. The original agreement was slightly revised and expanded at subsequent meetings but the essentials have been retained through the administrations of all subsequent Commissioners of Baseball.

MAJOR-MINOR LEAGUE RULE 3 (h)

- (H) High School Players.
- (1) No student of a high school shall be signed to a contract by a Major or Minor League club during the period the student is eligible for participation in high school athletics. In any instance where such eligibility has expired prior to the student's graduation from high school (a) because of the student's age; or (b) because he has completed the maximum number of semesters of attendance, he may thereafter be signed to a contract which does not obligate him to report for service prior to graduation of the class with which he originally entered high school, i.e., until eight semesters after his original entry into the ninth grade.
- (2) A student who drops out of high school prior to expiration of his athletic eligibility and continues to remain out for at least one year may thereafter be signed to a contract for immediate service provided his withdrawal from high school was not suggested, procured or otherwise influenced by the club contracting with him, or by any official or employee of such club or of any of its affiliates.
- (3) Nothing herein shall be construed as prohibiting any Major or Minor League club, its officers, agents or employees from talking to any high school student at any time concerning a career in professional baseball and discussing the merits of his contracting, when eligible therefore, with any particular club.
- (4) "Tryouts" to which students may be invited may be conducted during the school year, provided that (1) no student shall be permitted to participate in any such tryout unless the principal of his high school, if not employed by a Major or Minor League club, shall have approved such participation in writing, and (2) provided further that any such tryout must be limited to not more than five high school students at any given high school.

- (5) Any contract made in violation of this rule shall be declared null and void and the offending club (and any club owned by or affiliated with such club) shall be prohibited from signing such player for a period of three years from date of declaration of voidance of such contract. In addition, such club shall be fined \$500, by the Commissioner in the case of a Major League club, or by the President of the National Association in the case of Minor League club, and the official, scout or employee of the offending club who participated in the violation shall be subject to such penalty as the Commissioner or the President of the National Association, as the case may be, shall impose.
- (6) This rule shall apply to all high school students in the fifty (50) states of the United States of America, and shall not apply to high school students attending high schools outside the said fifty states of the United States of America.

NFHS PROGRAMS/SERVICES

The NFHS functions as both a service and administrative organization. It was founded on the premise it would provide service to individual state associations by overseeing the conduct of interstate athletic events. As its membership grew in size and influence, the services of the NFHS also increased through expanding programs related to that growth. Following is a partial listing of NFHS programs and services.

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

NFHS Officials Association: Officials Education Program, Insurance, National Awards Program, Searchable Rules Database online, Rules Videos online, officiating articles posted online.

NFHS Coaches Association: Insurance, National Awards Program, NFHS Coach Education Program, coaching articles posted online.

NFHS Music Association: Insurance, National Awards Program, Publications, National Conference.

NFHS Speech, Debate, Theatre and Academics Association: Insurance, National Awards Program, Publications, National Conference.

NATIONAL MEETINGS FOR STATE ASSOCIATIONS

Summer Meeting: Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony.

Winter Meeting.

Football Rules Committee.

Legal Meeting.

NFHS Summit Meeting.

Annual NFHS Performing Arts Conference.

National Debate Topic Selection Meeting.

Performing Arts: Speech & Debate Advisory Committee, Selection of National Debate Topic, Free/Low-Cost Materials, National Distribution of Extemporaneous Speaking Topics, Regional Speech and Debate Clinics, Music Advisory Committee, Regional Adjudication Seminars.

NFHS Maintains Outreach to the Following Organizations, Among Others: Education Leadership Consortium, National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association, National Collegiate Athletic Association, National Junior College Athletic Association, National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics, United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee, National Governing Bodies, Youth Sports Organizations, National Secondary Education Associations (NASSP, NASBE, etc.), National Elementary Education Association, Women's Sports Foundation, National Sporting Goods Association, National Athletic Dealers Association, Professional Sports Organizations, Congress/Federal Agencies, National Music Associations, National Speech & Debate Associations, National Spirit Organizations, National Sports Medicine Organizations, Sports and Fitness Industry Association.

NFHS Authenticating Mark Program: Endorsement of balls and pucks used in interscholastic varsity competition.

NFHS Corporate Partnership Program: As of the 2025-26 school year, the NFHS has 44 corporate partners.

Educational Services: Citizenship and Sportsmanship Materials and Training; NFHS Coach Education/ Certification (www.NFHSLearn.com), Officials Education Program, National High School Activities Month, Cocurricular Programs Research, Website (www.NFHS.org), Healthy Lifestyles Programs and Training, Promotion of Cocurricular Participation.

Publications/Communications: High School Today (online), NFHS Music Association Journal online, Policy Debate Quarterly (formerly Forensic Quarterly), Court and Field Diagram Guide, NFHS Sports Medicine Handbook, “Pre-Season Meeting” Materials, NFHS Handbook, National High School Sports Record Book online, NFHS Statisticians’ Manual, “High School Activities: A Community Investment in America,” Annual Report.

Professional Association Services: Educational Programs, Online Services (testing, registration, etc.), Insurance Benefits, Risk Management Workshop/General Sessions.

National Program Services: Safety/Injury Prevention Data (collection and dissemination), Interstate Sanctioning Program, International Sanctioning Program, Annual High School Athletics Participation Survey, Research and Studies on Values of Cocurricular Activities.

SPORTS SERVICES

Baseball: Rules Book, Case Book, Umpires Manual, Simplified and Illustrated Rules Book, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam.

Basketball: Rules Book, Case Book, Officials Manual, Handbook, Simplified & Illustrated Rules Book, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam, Two-Person Mechanics Exam, Three-Person Mechanics Exam.

Field Hockey: Rules Book, Scorebook, Rules Changes Poster, Part I Exam.

Flag Football: Rules Book.

Football: Rules Book, Case Book, Officials Manual, Handbook, Simplified & Illustrated Rules Book, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Safety Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam, Mechanics Exam.

Gymnastics – Girls: Rules Book, PowerPoint, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam.

Ice Hockey: Rules Book, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam.

Lacrosse – Boys: Rules Book, Part I Exam, Interpreters Meeting, PowerPoint.

Lacrosse – Girls: Rules Book, Part I Exam, Interpreters Meeting, PowerPoint.

Soccer: Rules Book, Officials Manual, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam.

Softball: Rules Book, Case Book, Umpires Manual, Simplified and Illustrated Rules Book, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam.

Spirit: Rules Book, Interpreters Meeting, Rules Changes Poster, Part I Exam.

Swimming and Diving: Rules Book, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam.

Track and Field and Cross Country: Rules Book, Case Book, Officials Manual, Scorebook, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam.

Volleyball: Rules Book, Case Book, Officials Manual, Simplified & Illustrated Rules Book, Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam.

Water Polo: Rules Book, Part I Exam.

Wrestling: Rules Book, Case Book/Officials Manual (combined), Scorebook, PowerPoint, Rules Changes Poster, Interpreters Meeting, Part I Exam, Part II Exam.

RULES-WRITING ACTIVITY

RULES COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS for all sports, except football, are made by the National Federation of State High School Associations Board of Directors upon nomination by state executive officers. A system of rotation has been established through which each NFHS section will have representation on each such rules committee except for sections that have little or no participation in a given sport. This procedure enables states to have representatives take a turn on committees and at the same time, enables the NFHS to benefit from all talent available. The rotating principle provides wider participation with the possibility of providing more people the benefits of rules-making experience. In addition, each such committee has a voting member who is a coach and another who is an official, both of whom are nominated by the section on a rotating basis. Each committee has a nonrotating chairperson which ensures continuity in a particular area of responsibility. Terms on the committee are structured for four years, thus making it possible for the committee personnel to rotate, with one person from each of two sections being named each year. Each rules committee maintains liaison with other major rules-writing bodies, in order to have the rules at the interscholastic level in tune with a particular athletic activity.

STATE ASSOCIATIONS are not required to use NFHS playing rules. However, most states use NFHS playing rules for most sports. If a state is to have representation on a committee, it must, in all material respects, follow the NFHS playing rules for that sport (or employ more restrictive rules) for the reason that people who use a given set of rules are likely to be the most knowledgeable about them. If the rules give an option, a state may mandate either and retain membership on the committee. Typically, NFHS rules place a major emphasis on risk

minimization, balance between offense and defense, preservation of the sound traditions of the sport in question, and efficiency in administration of contests. Also, the NFHS provides a wide range of companion services (rules interpretation meetings, videos, examinations, etc.) which enhance the knowledge level with which coaches, officials and student-athletes may use the rules. The Football Rules Committee operates on a one-vote-per-state basis, except for states which do not use the rules.

SANCTIONING OF DOMESTIC EVENTS

Interscholastic programs should serve educational goals. To this end, schools have an obligation to conduct certain threshold inquiries about events in which their students may participate. On occasion, additional inquiries and oversight may be appropriate at the conference, district, state or national levels. In order to perform their “inquiry and oversight” functions fairly and efficiently, decision-makers at various levels have developed sanctioning procedures. The specific purposes served by event-sanctioning procedures include the following: 1) Sanctioning enhances the likelihood that events will adhere to sound and detailed criteria which meet the specific requirements of a school or a group of schools based upon experience and tradition. 2) Sanctioning serves to promote sound regulation of the conditions under which students and teams may compete. 3) Sanctioning is a means of encouraging well-managed competition. 4) Sanctioning adds an element of “due diligence” that encourages compliance with state association rules and regulations. 5) Sanctioning protects the welfare of student-athletes. 6) Sanctioning protects the existing programs sponsored by member schools and thereby promotes the opportunity for larger numbers of student-athletes to gain the benefits of interscholastic competition. 7) Sanctioning helps reduce the abuses of excessive competition. 8) Sanctioning promotes uniformity in obtaining approval for events. 9) Sanctioning helps protect students from exploitation. 10) Interstate event sanctioning at the NFHS level promotes financial transparency and equivalency of treatment of participating high schools. NFHS sanctioning forms are available on the NFHS website (www.NFHS.org).

SANCTIONING OF INTERNATIONAL EVENTS

The NFHS supports the development of international understanding and goodwill through athletic exchanges. Applications for sanction of international events should be submitted to the NFHS on forms and in accordance with procedures from time to time approved by the Board of Directors. Forms are available on the NFHS website (www.NFHS.org).

HISTORY OF NFHS POLICY ON NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Frequently through the years, the NFHS has considered the issue of national high school championships. The earliest recorded action took place on February 26, 1934. The National Council voted that the Executive Committee should refuse to sanction any meet or tournament which is in the nature of a contest to determine a national high school championship. The Executive Committee/Board of Directors has acted in accordance with this vote, and no sanction has been granted although there have been many successful attempts by promoters to hold contests which are national in scope. The history and stated rationale for the refusal to sanction national high school championships has been described as follows:

THIS ACTION CONCERNING NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS was the result of sentiment on the part of high school administrators that the high schools are provided with enough competition by their own leagues and state associations. If more competition were desired, it would be an easy matter for such leagues or state associations to prolong the season or to arrange postseason games or to increase the number of tournaments. When such action is not taken, it is because additional competition is not desirable. Matters such as this must be determined by groups rather than by individual high schools because if one high school were permitted to extend the season indefinitely or to travel an indefinite distance to an interstate event, it practically forces other high schools to do likewise, if they are to compete on equal terms with the one which follows such practices. In this respect, the fundamental principle upon which the group action is based is exactly the same as that which underlies statewide eligibility rules. If one high school were permitted to decide for itself whether it would play 21-year-old students, it would automatically force all other high schools with whom that school competes to do likewise. It is obvious the will of the majority must apply in such situations.

THE POLICY CONCERNING SANCTIONING NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS has been under constant review by the NFHS and was reaffirmed July 9, 1977, when the National Council in amending its Athletic Bylaws adopted the following: “Sanction shall not be granted for any tournament, meet or other contest to qualify for and/or de-

termine a national high school championship.” However, at its July 1977 meeting in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, the NFHS Competition Committee recommended the topic of national championships sponsored and conducted by the NFHS be discussed at every NFHS Section Meeting during 1977-78. These discussions did occur.

A RESOLUTION authorizing the NFHS to develop a comprehensive promotional program for high school activities, including sponsorship of national championships, was passed 24 to 18 by the National Council on January 1, 1978, with the provision that the program be submitted for the review of the National Council in July 1978. A plan for national competition in golf, tennis, and track and field, beginning in 1979, was developed by the Executive Committee (Board of Directors) and distributed to the membership in February 1978, so there would be ample time for discussion. However, at its meeting in Salt Lake City on July 7, 1978, the National Council voted 27 to 17 to delay for one year taking action on the Executive Committee’s plan. It was the expressed hope of the National Council delegates who voted for the delay that during the 1978-79 school year the NFHS would obtain commitments from both principals and school boards at the local as well as state and national levels to either join the NFHS in attempting to halt the proliferation of nonschool-sponsored national competition or support the NFHS’ efforts to provide healthier, school-sponsored national competition.

A VOTE on the plan to conduct national invitational competitions in golf, tennis, and track and field during the summer was taken by the National Council on July 7, 1979, in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The Council, by a 38 to 9 vote, declined to approve the plan. In the ensuing decades, the membership has revisited periodically the subject of national championships. In the absence of a coalescence of membership support, the NFHS has not conducted or endorsed such events. On January 4, 2011, in Savannah, Georgia, the National Council defeated a proposed amendment to the NFHS Bylaws that would have allowed the NFHS to conduct national championships in golf and cross country.

POSITION STATEMENT ON NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The NFHS does not support, nor sanction, national school team competition that leads to a champion that may be perceived by the media and others to be a national champion in an athletic event.

The NFHS recognizes that entrepreneurs, for-profit corporations, and others may choose to invite schools and/or individual athletes to participate in competition which may include representatives from a number of different states. Whether or not the NFHS sanctioning policy may apply to such events, the NFHS suggests that invited schools and athletes exercise due diligence before choosing to participate.

The NFHS endorses and supports tournaments promulgated by member state associations which provide a culminating activity for student-athletes in sports sponsored by individual state high school athletic and activity associations.

ALL-STAR AND POSTSEASON CONTESTS

The National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) has long had concerns that abuses could arise from high school students’ participation in all-star and postseason contests. The National Council of the NFHS has encouraged strict regulations to prevent the abuses which could grow if such contests were to be permitted without limitation. A resolution passed at the 1947 Summer Meeting took a strong position in opposition to such contests. That position was reaffirmed at the 1948 National Council meeting.

In 1978, a joint statement addressing the proliferation of all-star events during the school year was issued by the NFHS, National Collegiate Athletic Association, National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and National Junior College Athletic Association. The text is as follows:

“THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS, the National Junior College Athletic Association, the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and the National Collegiate Athletic Association have prepared this statement to express the concern of each organization in regard to recent proliferation of high school all-star games scheduled during the academic year.

“PARTICIPATION in these all-star contests has resulted in significant loss of class time for the student-athletes involved, creating situations in which the student-athlete may not meet reasonable attendance standards during his or her senior year in high school. As a result, these all-star games may interfere with the academic pursuits of the student-athletes, and could affect their academic eligibility to participate as college freshmen in intercollegiate athletics. Further, in some instances, these all-star games serve primarily to benefit the promoters of the contests.

“THEREFORE, this statement has been adopted to encourage high school administrators to uphold reasonable academic and attendance standards for all students, regardless of their athletic interests.

“THE INORDINATE loss of class time due to participation in high school all-star games is a problem which high school administrators can help to solve by enforcing attendance requirements. Such action is consistent with the objective of maintaining athletics as an integral part of the high school educational program.

“ACCORDINGLY, the NFHS, the NJCAA, the NAIA and the NCAA urge the support of high school administrators in discouraging participation in high school all-star games scheduled during the academic year. With this support, the exploitation of high school students by promoters of such competition can be curtailed.”

NFHS AWARDS PROGRAM

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL HALL OF FAME

Awards are presented each year to individuals who have been inducted into the National High School Hall of Fame, which is a program of the NFHS. The Hall of Fame was initiated in 1982. In 2003, individuals in performing arts programs became eligible for the Hall of Fame.

Individuals who have had distinguished careers as a high school athlete, coach, contest official, administrator or performing arts coach or director are considered each year by the Hall of Fame Screening and Selection Committees. Although the committees may take into consideration what a person accomplishes later in life, the most important criterion is the high school experience.

Inductees are presented awards and medallions at the annual Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony, held each year in conjunction with the NFHS Summer Meeting.

Names of all individuals enshrined in the Hall of Fame are available on the NFHS website, and displays honoring each inductee are located in respective member state association's offices.

The following individuals were inducted into the National High School Hall of Fame in 2025: **Contributor:** Diane Wolf (Idaho); **Performing Arts:** Jane Berry-Eddings (Oregon); **Official:** Lloyd Hisaka (Hawaii); **Administrator:** Ron Laird (Wyoming); **Coaches:** Jim Ciccarello (New Mexico), Linda Lampkin (Missouri), Phil Savitz (South Carolina); **Athletes:** Prince Amukamara (Arizona), Tim Dwight (Iowa), Anna Maria Lopez (Oregon), Caryn Schoff-Kovatch (New York).

AWARD OF MERIT

The Award of Merit is presented to an individual who has made significant contributions to the NFHS and activity programs at the national level, or whose actions and involvement have resulted in a notable impact on high school activities nationally. Also considered is the individual's record of service to the high school community at the state and regional levels.

Previous Award of Merit recipients include: John K. Archer (New York); Wilbur Braithwaite (Utah); Dr. Myles Brand (NCAA); A. Foster Bridges (Tennessee); S.F. Burke (Georgia); Albert L. Burr (Missouri); Walter Byers (NCAA); Dr. R. Dawn Comstock (Colorado); Fred Dafler (Ohio); Mario J. Donnangelo (Pennsylvania); W. Gordon Eismen (West Virginia); Harold Emswiler (Ohio); Clifford B. Fagan (Wisconsin and NFHS); Gerald R. Ford (President of the United States); Charles E. Forsythe (Michigan); Thomas E. Frederick (NFHS); Gill Gideon (Tennessee); Earl S. Gillespie (Virginia); James G. Gowney (New Jersey); Bill Hanlin (West Virginia); Nelson L. Hartman (Kansas); Jim Haugen (Montana); H.A. Hendrickson (Arizona); Irvin A. Keller (Missouri); Dr. Michael Koester (Oregon); Bowie K. Kuhn (Major League Baseball); Paul E. Landis (Ohio); Floyd E. Lay (Florida); Mallory Mayse (Missouri); Jerry McGee (North Carolina); Fred Mueller (North Carolina); Paul F. Neverman (Wisconsin); Vern L. Norris (Michigan); William C. Pace (Virginia); Dr. Vito Perriello (Virginia); L.V. Phillips (Indiana); Lyle T. Quinn (Iowa); John E. Roberts (Wisconsin); William W. Russell (California); Edward J. Ryan (Oregon); Henry E. Rybus (Washington); Herman L. Scott (Alabama); and Albert Willis (Illinois).

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL SPIRIT OF SPORT AWARD

The National High School Spirit of Sport Award is annually conferred to eight section recipients as well as one national recipient. The recipient must be an individual from a high school that is a member of an NFHS-member athletic or activity association.

The recipient could be a coach, athletic administrator, administrator, trainer, contest official, student-athlete or any others associated with the school or the school's athletic program.

This prestigious award seeks to recognize individuals who exemplify the ideals of the positive spirit of sport that represent the core mission of education-based athletics. The award may be given in recognition of a specific act or for an activity of longer duration.

For example, it could be awarded to an individual (or group) that has demonstrated exemplary sportsmanship and/or citizenship in playing the game as it should be played; has exceeded normal expectations in assisting others within the school or community; or has overcome adversity or a challenging circumstance.

The national recipient is recognized at the NFHS Summer Meeting, where a video regarding that individual's accomplishments is shown. Ideally, the section recipients are recognized at state association events.

Previous national recipients include Tammy Dufford and Megan Bomgaars, Colorado (2008); Dakota Dana, Wyoming (2009); Tori Clark, Illinois (2010); the New Kensington (Pennsylvania) Valley High School softball team and umpire Bill Dithrich (2011); Jacob Goldberg, Florida (2012); Magoffin County High School, Salyersville, Kentucky, and Logan County High School, Russellville, Kentucky (2013); Zach Pickett, California (2014); Grace Cummings, Connecticut (2015); Ashley Carson, Nebraska (2016); Danny Lilya, Minnesota (2017); Marissa Walker, Connecticut (2018); Amanda Merrell, Maryland (2019); Noah Lambrecht, Nebraska (2020); Hayden Holton, Alabama (2021); the Wyatt Family, Tennessee (2022); Gabe Marsh, Alabama (2023); Merik Dismang, Kansas (2024); and Jack Punswick, Kansas (2025).

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL HEART OF THE ARTS AWARD

The National High School Heart of the Arts Award is annually conferred to eight section recipients as well as one national recipient. The recipient must be an individual or group/team from a high school that is a member of an NFHS member athletic or activity association.

This award was created to recognize those individuals who exemplify the ideals of the positive heart of the arts that represent the core mission of education-based activities. The recipient could be any student, adult or group associated with the school's performing arts programs.

The national recipient is recognized at the NFHS Summer Meeting, where a video regarding that individual's or group's/team's accomplishments is shown. Ideally, the section recipients are recognized at state association events, although the section recipients are also featured in a video at the NFHS Summer Meeting.

Previous national recipients include Leia Schwartz, Florida (2014); Ethan Gray, Illinois (2015); Midland City (Alabama) Dale County High School and Band Director Sherri Miller (2016); Josie Ross, Minnesota (2017); Cecilia Egan, Rhode Island (2018); LaRaine Fess and the Beaufort (South Carolina) High School Theatre Students, South Carolina (2019); Cailin Martin, Rhode Island (2020); Kylan Running Hawk, Minnesota (2021); Lola Wade, Kansas (2022); Adam Mewhorter and Casey Hubbard, Oklahoma (2023); Anders Lovstuen, Iowa (2024); and Eden Coppersmith, Nebraska (2025).

AMERICAN TRADITION AWARD

The American Tradition Award may be presented to a corporation, foundation, organization or individual which has made a major financial or in-kind service contribution to the NFHS or high school activities on a national level.

Previous winners include: Walt Disney Co. (1985), Kodak (1988), Hazelden (1989), Indiana Sports Corporation (2000), James Morris (2001), Bernie Saggau (2004), T-Mobile (2009) and Varsity Spirit (2015).

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS CITATIONS

Citations may be awarded to individuals whose contributions have impacted high school activity programs through their association with one of the following groups of professionals: athletic directors; coaches; officials; music adjudicators and directors; speech, debate and theatre directors, and spirit leaders. A longstanding and distinguished record of involvement with high school activity programs at the local and state levels, and the admiration and respect of their colleagues are also factors in determining recipients.

The following individuals received NFHS Citations during the past year in the categories indicated:

Athletic Directors: Andee Bouwhuis, CMAA (Utah); Fran Martin, CMAA (Kansas); Scott Morris, CMAA (Virginia); Mike Mossbrucker, CMAA (Indiana); Ted Reynolds, CAA (Idaho); Todd Sampson, CMAA (Maine); Joe Sanfilippo, CMAA (Georgia); and Andre Walker, CMAA (Texas).

Coaches: Joe Martin (Texas); **Officials:** Mike Padfield (Indiana); **Music Adjudicators and Directors:** Jennifer Davis (Mississippi); **Speech and Debate Directors:** Tommie Lindsey (California); **Theatre Directors:** Marie Wodjelski (Illinois).

State Associations: Judy Sylvester, Section 1 (Connecticut); Tim Stried, Section 2 (Ohio); Jan Hogan, Section 3 (South Carolina); Susie Knoblauch, Section 4 (Illinois); Craig Long, Section 5 (Missouri); Charles Breithaupt, Section 6 (Texas); David Hines, Section 7 (Arizona); Ty Jones, Section 8 (Idaho).

STATE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE

Formerly the Outstanding Service Award, the State Award for Outstanding Service may be presented to individuals to recognize a record of longstanding service and significant contribution to the NFHS within a specific sport or activity, or to individuals/organizations for services, although not specifically designated, but which generally represent a significant contribution to or have an impact on high school activity programs.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERSHIP AWARDS

Each year the NFHS recognizes individuals whose terms on the NFHS Board of Directors have expired. These are given in recognition of their commitment to leadership of the NFHS.

The following individuals received the Board of Directors Membership Award in 2025: Dan Swartos (South Dakota) and Amanda Kaus (Minnesota).

PAST PRESIDENT'S AWARD

Bob Lombardi of Pennsylvania was presented the Past President's Award in recognition of his leadership as NFHS president in 2024-25.

ADMINISTRATION

FORMER PRESIDENTS

1920-33: George Edw. Marshall, Iowa	1993-94: Voie S. Coy, Arizona
1933-44: E.R. Stevens, Kansas	1994-95: Alvis Johnson, Kentucky
1944-48: R.E. Rawlins, South Dakota	1995-96: H. David Fry, Illinois
1948-54: C.A. Semler, Michigan	1996-97: Becky Oakes, Missouri
1954-55: S.F. Burke, Georgia	1997-98: Charles H. Adams, North Carolina
1955-57: Fred L. Biester, Illinois	1998-99: James W. Desmarais, New Hampshire
1957-58: Homer Williams, Idaho	1999-00: Richard Durost, Maine
1958-59: W.R. Fugitt, West Virginia	2000-01: Marlyn Goldhammer, South Dakota
1959-60: Herman F. Keller, Indiana	2001-02: Ronnie Carter, Tennessee
1960-61: Willard B. Knowles, California	2002-03: Scott Blanchard, Vermont
1961-71: S.F. Burke, Georgia	2003-04: James C. Haugen, Montana
1971-72: W. Gordon Eismen, West Virginia	2004-05: David Stead, Minnesota
1972-73: Loman F. Hutchings, Utah	2005-06: Dan Washburn, Alabama
1973-74: Robert E. Karlin, New Mexico	2006-07: Bill Reader, Colorado
1974-75: Earl O. Berge, Iowa	2007-08: Ron Laird, Wyoming
1975-76: Floyd E. Lay, Florida	2008-09: Jim Tenopir, Nebraska
1976-77: James G. Growney, New Jersey	2009-10: Ennis Proctor, Mississippi
1977-78: Harold A. Meyer, Ohio	2010-11: Nina Van Erk, New York
1978-79: Herman L. Scott, Alabama	2011-12: Rick Wulkow, Iowa
1979-80: Lee Cassady, Arkansas	2012-13: Kevin Charles, Delaware
1980-81: Albert L. Burr, Missouri	2013-14: Harold Slemmer, Arizona
1981-82: Gill Gideon, Tennessee	2014-15: Tom Mezzanotte, Rhode Island
1982-83: Alton B. Doyle, New York	2015-16: Tom Welter, Oregon
1983-84: Vern L. Norris, Michigan	2016-17: Gary Musselman, Kansas
1984-85: Bert L. Cooper, Nevada	2017-18: Jerome Singleton, South Carolina
1985-86: Ray C. Ball, Colorado	2018-19: David Jackson, Oklahoma
1986-87: C. Eugene Cato, Indiana	2019-20: Mark Beckman, Montana
1987-88: William C. Fordham, Georgia	2020-21: Kerwin Urhahn, Missouri
1988-89: Ross Black, New Mexico	2021-22: Rob Cuff, Utah
1989-90: Bernie Saggau, Iowa	2022-23: Sally Marquez, New Mexico
1990-91: Cliff A. Gillies, Washington	2023-24: Tom Keating, Iowa
1991-92: Bailey M. Marshall, Texas	2024-25: Bob Lombardi, Pennsylvania
1992-93: Douglas E. Chickering, Wisconsin	

FORMER EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

1920-27: L.W. Smith	1977-93: Brice B. Durbin
1927-40: C.W. Whitten	1993-10: Robert F. Kanaby
1940-58: H.V. Porter	2010-18: Robert B. Gardner
1958-77: Clifford B. Fagan	

FORMER BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERS

	Term		Term
Charles H. Adams, North Carolina.....	1994-98	Keith Amemiya, Hawaii	2002-06
H.R. Adams, Utah	1938-44	Bruce Anderson, North Dakota.....	1972-75
Louis E. Allen, Minnesota.....	1966-69	Craig Anderson, Illinois.....	2016
Roy A. Allen, Michigan.....	1994-96	Lee K. Anderson, Oklahoma.....	1950-53
B.C. Alwes, Louisiana.....	1939-48	J.K. Archer, New York.....	1945-48

	Term
W.J. Baird, Alabama.....	1929-36
Ray C. Ball, Colorado	1968-71, 1983-86
Tony Balsamo, California	1983-84, 1985-88
Dr. Anna Battle, Arizona	2014-18
Mark Beckman, Montana	2016-20
Bennie Bennett, South Carolina.....	2010-14
Carl G. Berg, Massachusetts	1971-74
Earl O. Berge, Iowa.....	1972-75
John V. Bernard, Wyoming	1960-63
Ross Black, New Mexico	1982-83, 1986-89
Scott Blanchard, Vermont	1999-03
Harry B. Blevins, Virginia	1984-85
Eddie Bonine, Louisiana	2014-15
E.S. Bowlus, Mississippi	1936-39
Charles Breithaupt, Texas	2009-11
James Brim, Illinois	1975-78
S.F. Burke, Georgia	1944-73
Mike Burnham, Maine	2019-23
Albert L. Burr, Missouri.....	1978-81
William D. Carr, Oklahoma.....	1965-68
Ronnie Carter, Tennessee	1998-02
Warren Carter, West Virginia	1981-82
Brad Cashman, Pennsylvania.....	2008-09
Lee Cassady, Arkansas	1977-80
C. Eugene Cato, Indiana	1984-87
G.A. Chamberlain, Wisconsin.....	1933-38
Leslie T. Chamberlin, Nebraska.....	1969-72
Kevin Charles, Delaware.....	2009-13
Douglas E. Chickering, Wisconsin...	1990-93, 2004-08
Allen Chin, District of Columbia	2005-08
Mike Colbrese, Wyoming	1987-88
Washington.....	2008-12
Lamar Cole, Arkansas	1992-95
R.H. Cole, Arkansas	1953-56
Bert L. Cooper, Nevada	1982-85, 1987-88
Bobby Cox, Indiana	2018-20
Voie S. Coy, Arizona.....	1991-94
Rob Cuff, Utah	2018-22
John T. Daly, Connecticut	1986-88
C.S. Davis, Pennsylvania.....	1929-36
Donald Dehne, North Dakota.....	1981-82
James W. Desmarais, New Hampshire	1995-99
Joseph J. Devitt, Maine.....	1968-71
Brigid DeVries, Kentucky.....	2002-05
H.R. Dieterich, Missouri.....	1948-51
Bernie Dolan, West Virginia	2015-17
John Dorsey, New Jersey.....	1993-94
F.W. Douma, Iowa.....	1951-54
Les Douma, Iowa.....	2000-02
Alton B. Doyle, New York.....	1980-83
Clayton Dunn, Washington	1981-82, 1983-84
Brice B. Durbin, Kansas	1975-76
Richard Durost, Maine	1996-00
W. Gordon Eismon, West Virginia...	1959-60, 1969-72
Evan Excell, Utah.....	1998-02
Dale C. Farmer, Delaware.....	1984-87
Bill Farney, Texas	2007-09
T.C. Ferguson, Maryland.....	1948-51

	Term
William Fisher, Washington	1948-50
Kevin Fitzgerald, Delaware	2015-19
Harry L. Fitzhugh, Illinois	1963-66
Pam Foegen, Wisconsin.....	2016-20
William C. Fordham, Georgia	1985-88
L.L. Forsythe, Michigan.....	1922-40
Dave Frazier, New Jersey	2020-24
Dan L. Freund, Montana.....	1982-85
H. David Fry, Illinois	1993-96
James O. Funk, Indiana.....	1969-72
Bill Gaine, Massachusetts	2018-19
Vicci Gappmayer, Utah.....	2006-10
Henry Geisler, Michigan.....	1966-69
Gill Gideon, Tennessee.....	1979-82
Earl S. Gillespie, Virginia.....	1987-90
Cliff A. Gillies, Washington.....	1988-91
H.J. Goetz, Montana.....	1958-59
Marlyn Goldhammer, South Dakota	1981-84, 1997-01
Gloria Griffin, Oklahoma.....	2003-07
W.E. Griffith, Pennsylvania.....	1941-43
James G. Grownney, New Jersey.....	1974-77
C.H. Hancock, Montana.....	1957-58
Bill Hanlin, West Virginia.....	1986-89
Charles Harris, Virginia	2007-11
Nelson Hartman, Kansas.....	1976-78, 1990-93
James C. Haugen, Montana	2000-04
Billy Haun, Virginia.....	2017-21
L.T. Havig, North Dakota.....	1954-57
A. Oden Hawes, Oregon	1973-76
Joe A. Haynes, Mississippi	1988-91
Linda Henrie, Texas.....	2011-15
Tommy Henry, Louisiana	1991-94
Marty Hickman, Illinois	2012-15
Toni Hill, Missouri.....	2013-17
Donald J. Hobbs, Idaho.....	1976-79
Dean Houghton, Vermont	1985-88
Steve Houghton, Vermont.....	2004-08
Larry Hudson, Arkansas.....	1989-92
Dr. Jerry A. Hughes, Nevada	1994-98
Loman F. Hutchings, Utah.....	1970-73
H.E. Ilsley, Iowa	1944-46
Marie M. Ishida, California	1998-02, 2006-10
David Jackson, Oklahoma	2016-19
Judy Jennings, Washington.....	2001-05
Alvis Johnson, Kentucky.....	1992-95
Terence A. Johnson, Colorado	1995-99
Teresa M. Johnson, Alaska	1993-97
Carroll M. Johnston, Nevada.....	1991-94
P.A. Jones, Pennsylvania.....	1936-41
Ty Jones, Idaho.....	2020-24
Lorell Jungling, North Dakota	2005-09
Robert E. Karlin, New Mexico.....	1971-74
Amanda Kaus, Minnesota	2022-25
Tom Keating, Iowa.....	2020-24
H. Jean Kenney, Connecticut.....	1980-81
Ben L. Kerfoot, Idaho	1987-90
Thomas N. Kiyosaki, Hawaii.....	1976-79
Edward S. Kiyuna, Hawaii	1988-91

	Term
G.C. Koffman, Louisiana	1959-60
Tony Komadina, Arizona	1979-82
Ron Laird, Wyoming	2004-08
Floyd E. Lay, Florida	1973-76
Doyle Lehman, Indiana	1982-83
Karen Leinaar, Michigan	2008-12
Daryl K. Lien, Wisconsin	1966-69
Ray J. Lofton, New Mexico	1961-64
Dr. Robert Lombardi, Pennsylvania	2021-25
Dr. Patricia E. Lucas, Florida	1994-98
Hiney P. Lund, Montana	1959-60
Sally Marquez, New Mexico	2019-23
Bailey M. Marshall, Texas	1989-92
Paul R. Martin, Wyoming	1986-87
Carl S. Matherly, Tennessee	1982-83
Gary Matthews, Alaska	1997-00
D.W. McBride, Louisiana	1960-62
V.E. McColey, Kansas	1956-69
I. Charles McCullough, Pennsylvania	1978-80
Bernard McDaniel, South Carolina	2002-06
H.A. Meyer, Ohio	1960-66, 1975-78
J.D. Meyer, Washington	1944-48
Tom Mezzanotte, Rhode Island	2011-15
Tom Mills, Kentucky	1981-84
D.R. Mitchell, Utah	1930-33
John E. Molesworth, Maryland	1980-81
R. Wayne Monfore, South Dakota	1963-66
Clair Muscaro, Ohio	1993-97
Gary Musselman, Kansas	2013-17
Ed Nash, Alaska	1981-82
Richard F. Neal, Massachusetts	1989-92
R.C. Newbold, Rhode Island	1983-86
Dr. Karissa L. Niehoff, Connecticut	2015-18
E.N. Nordgaard, Minnesota	1949-51
Vern L. Norris, Michigan	1981-84
Becky Oakes, Missouri	1993-97
Melvin Olson, North Dakota	1987-90
William C. Pace, Virginia	1972-75
Paul E. Palmer, Kansas	1984-85
Fred J. Patton, Oregon	1949-52
Juan Perez, Kansas	1997-01
Donald R. Peterson, Oregon	1991-93
Jim Pinkerton, South Carolina	1984-85
Ennis Proctor, Mississippi	2006-10
Lisa Quednow, Minnesota	2021-22
Gary Ray, West Virginia	2013-15
Bill Reader, Colorado	2003-07
Edward W. Reitz, Missouri	1990-93
Blake Ress, Indiana	2000-04
James Riley, Nebraska	1985-87
John E. Robb, Nevada	1967-70
John E. Roberts, Wisconsin	1978-81
Jack Roberts, Michigan	1996-00, 2016-18
Kalvin Robinson, Mississippi	2018-22
J.E. Rohr, Wisconsin	1940-43
Fred E. Rozelle, Florida	1988-91
Michael Rubin, Massachusetts	2012-16
John J.F. Ruddy, Connecticut	1960-68
W.W. Russell, California	1973-76

	Term
Henry E. Rybus, Washington	1970-73
Bernie Saggau, Iowa	1987-90
Dan Salzwedel, New Mexico	1999-03
Boyd A. Sands, New Jersey	1983-84, 1991-93, 2003-06
Karen Sanford Gall, Montana	2009-13
James E. Sauter, Minnesota	1985-87
Michael H. Savage, Connecticut	1988-89
Steve Savarese, Alabama	2018-21
Herman L. Scott, Alabama	1976-79
Bill Self, Oklahoma	1995-99
David Sextro, Iowa	2002-04
Jerome Singleton, South Carolina	2014-18
William A. Slade, New Mexico	1982-83
Harold Slemmer, Arizona	2010-14
B. Floyd Smith, Illinois	1946-49
Walter Smith, New Hampshire	1977-80
Edward F. Sparks, Maryland	1997-01
W.B. Spencer, Connecticut	1933-45
Owen St. Clair, Wyoming	2017-21
Richard L. Stanton, Minnesota	1984-85
David Stead, Minnesota	2001-05
Paul C. Stevens, Colorado	1952-55
Richard Stevenson, Utah	1980-81
Donald F. Stone, Arizona	1964-67
Louis Stout, Kentucky	2001-02
William Sullins, Wyoming	1985-86
Dr. Daniel Swartos, South Dakota	2021-25
Ralph Swearngin, Georgia	2010-14
Sherm Sylling, North Dakota	2009-13
Lance Taylor, Arkansas	2011-15
Jim Tenopir, Nebraska	2005-09
Simon F. Terrell, North Carolina	1982-84
A.W. Thompson, Michigan	1929-30
Bart Thompson, Nevada	2015-18
C.C. Thompson, Nebraska	1951-54
Steve Timko, New Jersey	2006-07
J. Marion Tree, Utah	1985-87
Que Tucker, North Carolina	2021-22
David W. Turner, Illinois	1988-91
Richard W. Tyler, Maine	1992-95
Kerwin Urhahn, Missouri	2017-21
Nina Van Erk, New York	2007-11
Dan Washburn, Alabama	2002-06
R.R. Watson, Iowa	1960-63
Leslie D. Wells, Alaska	1979-81
Russell J. Welsh, Missouri	1962-65
Tom Welter, Oregon	2012-16
Russell T. Werner, Pennsylvania	1990-93
C.E. Wetmore, Wisconsin	1949-51, 1957-60
Claud E. White, Oklahoma	1980-83
Kim Wilbanks, Arkansas	2019-23
Homer Williams, Idaho	1955-58
Rhea H. Williams, Texas	1974-77
Steven R. Wisely, Oregon	1993-94
Jack Wiseman, West Virginia	1989
Rick Wulkow, Iowa	2008-12
Jimmy Wyatt, West Virginia	1999-03
Bill Young, Idaho	1994-97

FORMER STATE ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Alabama

Sellers Stough (part-time)	1925-48
Cliff Harper	1948-66
Herman L. Scott	1966-90
Dan Washburn	1990-07
Steve Savarese	2007-21
Alvin Briggs	2021-24

Alaska

J.E. Danielson	1957-60
Joe Montgomery	1960-65
Les Wells	1965-71
Rick Arndt	1971-75
Ed Frandsen	1976
Les Wells	1977-81
Ed Nash	1981-93
Gary Matthews	1993-14

Arizona

E.A. Row (part-time)	1925-51
Don F. Stone (part-time)	1951-64
H.A. Hendrickson	1964-76
Tony Komadina	1976-87
Voie Stuart Coy, Ph.D.	1987-99
Harold Slemmer	1999-17
David Hines	2017-25

Arkansas

J.M. "Johnnie" Burnett	1946-74
Lee Cassady	1974-84
Lamar Cole	1984-96
Jimmy Coats	1996-06

California

E.W. Barnhart (temporary)	1914-15
C.L. Biedenbach	1915-37
A.B. Ingham	1937-55
William Russell	1955-80
Thomas E. Byrnes	1980-94
Jack Hayes	1994-01
Marie Ishida	2001-12
Roger Blake	2012-19

Colorado

John C. Casey	1921-26
R.W. Truscott	1926-48
Glenn T. Wilson	1948-66
Ray C. Ball Jr.	1966-86
Ray Plutko	1986-90
Bob Ottewill	1990-02
Bill Reader	2002-10
Paul Angelico	2010-17
Rhonda Blanford-Green	2017-22

Connecticut

John T. Daly	1969-88
Michael H. Savage	1988-10
Dr. Karissa L. Niehoff	2010-18

Delaware

George W. Ayars (part-time)	1945-70
Dale C. Farmer	1970-91
Bob Depew	1991-02
Ed Basara	2002-03
Jack Holloway	2003-05
Kevin Charles	2005-16
Tommie Neubauer	2016-19
Gary Cimaglia	2019
Donna Polk	2019-23

District of Columbia

Hardy L. Pearce	1958-71
Otto T. Jordan	1971-87
Allen E. Chin	1987-88
Gilbert L. Hoffman	1988-89
Claude E. Moten	1989
Sam Jones	1989-91
Allen E. Chin	1991-08
Troy Mathieu	2008-09
Marcus Ellis	2009-11
Clark Ray	2011-21

Florida

W.H. Cassels	1927-33
F.W. Buchholz	1933-36
Lafayette Golden	1936-63
Floyd E. Lay	1963-80
Fred E. Rozelle	1980-91
Ronald N. Davis	1991-98
Robert Hughes	1998-04
John Stewart	2005-08
Roger Dearing	2008-17
George Tomyn	2017-22

Georgia

Sam F. Burke	1947-76
William C. Fordham	1976-91
Tommy Guillebeau	1991-01
Ralph Swearngin	2001-14
Gary Phillips	2014-17
Robin Hines	2017-24

Hawaii

Alvin K. Chang	1956-60
Kathryn Fossum	1960-68
Thomas Kiyosaki	1968-78
Edward S. Kiyuna	1978-96
Dwight H. Toyama	1996-98
Keith Amemiya	1998-10

Idaho

John I. Hillman (part-time).....	1928-36
Ed Grider.....	1936-65
Homer Williams.....	1965-74
Richard A. Stickle.....	1974-87
Myrna Johns.....	1987-88
Bill Young.....	1988-06
John Billetz.....	2006-14
Ty Jones.....	2014-24

Illinois

Charles W. Whitten.....	1922-42
Albert Willis.....	1942-68
Harry Fitzhugh.....	1968-78
Laverne L. Astroth.....	1978-91
H. David Fry.....	1991-02
Marty Hickman.....	2002-16

Indiana

J.T. Giles.....	1906-12
Isaac E. Netf.....	1913
Arthur L. Trester.....	1913-44
Morris E. McCarty (acting).....	1944
L.V. Phillips.....	1945-62
Phil N. Askew.....	1962-76
Ward E. Brown.....	1976-83
C. Eugene Cato.....	1983-95
Robert B. Gardner.....	1995-00
Blake Ress.....	2000-11
Bobby Cox.....	2011-20

Iowa

George E. Brown.....	1927-40
Lyle T. Quinn.....	1941-67
Bernie Saggau.....	1967-05
Rick Wulkow.....	2005-15
Alan Beste.....	2015-19

Kansas

E.A. Thomas.....	1927-57
C.H. Kopelk.....	1957-62
Brice B. Durbin.....	1962-76
Nelson L. Hartman.....	1976-93
Kaye B. Pearce.....	1993-96
Gary Musselman.....	1996-18

Kentucky

Theo A. Sanford (part-time).....	1937-47
Theo A. Sanford.....	1947-72
Joe Billy Mansfield.....	1972-75
Tom Mills.....	1975-91
Billy V. Wise.....	1991-94
Louis Stout.....	1994-02
Brigid DeVries.....	2002-10

Louisiana

T.H. "Muddy" Waters.....	1953-71
Frank Spruiell.....	1971-83
Tommy Henry.....	1983-07
Kenny Henderson.....	2007-14

Maine

Clarence B. Quimby (part-time).....	1921-22
Josiah A. Taylor (part-time).....	1922-29
Harrison C. Lyseth (part-time).....	1929-42
Earl Hutchinson (part-time).....	1942-48
Philip A. Annas (part-time).....	1948-54
Joseph J. Devitt (part-time).....	1954-67
Raymond W. Farnham.....	1967-74
Horace O. McGowan.....	1974-84
Richard W. Tyler.....	1984-01
Dick Durost.....	2001-19

Maryland

Herbert R. Steiner.....	1946-70
Paul Rusko.....	1970-71
John Molesworth.....	1971-81
Edward F. "Ned" Sparks.....	1981-15

Massachusetts

Frederick H. Pierce.....	1962-68
George Higginbottom.....	1968-69
Bertram H. Holland.....	1969-79
Richard F. Neal.....	1979-13
Bill Gaine.....	2013-21

Michigan

A.W. Thompson (part-time).....	1924-31
Charles E. Forsythe.....	1931-68
Julian Smith (temporary).....	1943-44
Allen W. Bush.....	1968-78
Vern L. Norris.....	1978-86
Jack Roberts.....	1986-18

Minnesota

O.E. Smith.....	1925-42
H.R. Peterson.....	1942-58
B.H. Hill.....	1959-70
Murrae N. Freng.....	1970-85
Orval J. Bies.....	1985-87
David Stead.....	1987-18

Mississippi

W.B. Bill Kenna.....	1949-58
W.D. "Webb" Allen.....	1958-68
M.P. Dick Smith.....	1968-79
H.T. Drake (interim).....	1979
Woodrow L. Marsh.....	1979-91
Ennis Proctor.....	1991-11
Don Hinton.....	2011-20

Missouri

Carl Burris (part-time).....	1926-48
T.L. Noel.....	1948-56
Irvin A. Keller.....	1956-77
Jack Miles.....	1977-92
Becky Oakes.....	1992-06
Kerwin Urhahn.....	2006-22

Montana

G.A. Ketcham (part-time)	1921-26
R.H. Wollin (part-time)	1927-51
R. Rex Dalley	1951-77
Dan Freund	1977-97
James C. Haugen	1997-04
Mark Beckman	2004-22

Nebraska

Walter I. Black	1929-34
O.L. Webb	1934-56
C.C. Thompson	1956-70
Leslie T. Chamberlin	1970-76
James Riley	1976-01
Jim Tenopir	2001-10
Steve Shanahan	2010-12
Rhonda Blanford-Green	2012-15
Jim Tenopir	2015-18
Jay Bellar	2018-23

Nevada

George McCracken (part-time)	1934-40
Don Robertson (part-time)	1940-54
Chester Davis (part-time)	1954-58
Elbert Edwards (part-time)	1958-63
Tod Carlini (part-time)	1963-71
Robert Lunt (part-time)	1971-74
Bert L. Cooper	1974-89
Dr. Jerry Hughes	1989-07
Eddie Bonine	2007-15
Bart Thompson	2015-21
Donnie Nelson	2021-24

New Hampshire

Ken Bean (part-time)	1947-52
Robert Eddy	1953-58
Walter Smith	1958-84
James Desmarais	1984-06
Pat Corbin	2006-14

New Jersey

Walter E. Short (part-time)	1918-47
Walter E. Short	1948-58
Norman Mansfield (interim)	1958-60
James G. Gowney	1960-80
Robert F. Kanaby	1980-93
James C. Riccobono	1993
Boyd Sands	1993-06
Steve Timko	2006-17
Larry White	2017-19

New Mexico

Morris Ward	1950-52
U.G. Montgomery	1952-74
James Odle	1974-86
Dan Salzwedel	1986-03
Karen Honeycutt (interim)	2003-04
Gary Tripp	2004-12
Sally Marquez	2012-24

New York

Elmer K. Smith	1923-25
Everett T. Grout	1925-29
Frederick R. Wegner	1929-42
John K. Archer	1942-75
Alton B. Doyle	1975-90
Dr. Sandra E. Scott	1990-00
Nina Van Erk	2000-12

North Carolina

E.R. Rankin	1924-42
C.E. McIntosh	1943-47
L.J. Perry	1948-66
S.F. Terrell	1967-84
Charlie Adams	1984-10
Davis Whitfield	2010-15

North Dakota

Earl Abrahamson (part-time)	1945-49
Earl Abrahamson	1949-65
F.U. Smith	1965-80
Bruce Anderson	1980-88
Robert D. King	1988-99
Sherman Sylling	1999-14

Ohio

H.R. Townsend	1925-44
Harold Emswiler	1944-58
W.J. McConnell	1958-63
Paul E. Landis	1963-69
Harold A. Meyer	1969-77
George D. Bates	1977-80
Richard L. Armstrong	1980-90
Clair Muscaro	1990-04
Dan Ross	2004-18
Jerry Snodgrass	2018-20

Oklahoma

Lee K. Anderson	1927-67
Leo K. Higbie	1967-73
Claud E. White	1973-88
Ivan Evans (interim)	1988
H.J. Green	1988-91
Bill Self	1991-99
Danny Rennels	1999-09
Ed Sheakley	2009-16

Oregon

John L. Gary (part-time)	1930-37
Troy D. Walker	1937-42
Thomas A. Pigott	1942-59
A. Oden Hawes	1959-75
Edward J. Ryan	1975-84
Donald R. Peterson	1984-93
Wes Ediger	1993-01
Tom Welter	2001-16

Pennsylvania

Edmund J. Wicht.....	1929-51
Mark N. Funk.....	1952-66
Theodore R. Wagner Jr.	1967-75
I. Charles McCullough.....	1976-80
E. Jerry Brooks (part time).....	1980
Dr. Russell T. Werner.....	1980-93
Brad Cashman.....	1993-12

Rhode Island

Rev. Robert C. Newbold, Esq.	1968-94
Richard Lynch.....	1994-04
Tom Mezzanotte.....	2004-20

South Carolina

Ernest W. Stokes.....	1948-54
Lawrence B. Graves	1954-80
Jim Pinkerton.....	1980-86
H.A. "Pete" Ayoub.....	1986-98
Ronnie Matthews.....	1998-05

South Dakota

R.E. Rawlins.....	1915-37
R.M. "Bus" Walseth	1937-70
Dave Evans	1970-77
Clar Lilevjen	1977-79
Marlyn Goldhammer	1979-01
Wayne Carney.....	2001-17

Tennessee

A.F. Bridges.....	1946-72
Gill A. Gideon.....	1972-86
Ronnie Carter.....	1986-09
Bernard Childress	2009-22

Texas

Dr. E.D. Shorter.....	1910-22
Dr. Roy Bedicher.....	1922-48
Rodney Kidd	1948-68
Dr. Rhea H. Williams.....	1968-77
Dr. Bailey M. Marshall.....	1977-95
Bill Farney	1995-09
Dr. Charles Breithaupt.....	2009-25

Utah

Horace H. Rose.....	1948-73
J. Marion Tree.....	1973-87
Glen Beere.....	1987-94
Evan Excell.....	1994-08
David Wilkey	2008-09

Vermont

Robert Pierce Jr.	1964-75
Richard H. Breen.....	1975-85
Scott Blanchard.....	1985-03
Ray Pellegrini.....	2003-06
Robert Stevens	2006-09
Ken Page.....	2009-17

Virginia

Walter C. Chapman (part-time).....	1925-29
Charles H. Kauffman (part-time).....	1929-42
J.N.G. Finley (part-time).....	1942-43
Mrs. Mary H. Spalding (acting).....	1943-45
Richard R. Fletcher	1945-50
Howard R. Richardson.....	1950-57
William C. Pace.....	1957-85
Earl S. Gillespie	1985-94
Ken Tilley	1994-16
Billy Haun.....	2016-25

Washington

Henry DeYoung.....	1950-63
Henry E. Rybus	1963-82
Cliff A. Gillies.....	1982-93
Mike Colbrese	1993-19

West Virginia

William R. Fugitt	1946-59
W. Gordon Eismon.....	1959-75
Sam Williams.....	1975-85
Bill Hanlin.....	1985-89
James Hamrick	1989-92
Warren L. Carter	1992-99
Mike Hayden	1999-07
Gary Ray	2007-16
Bernie Dolan	2016-23
David Price.....	2023-25

Wisconsin

P.F. Neverman.....	1924-51
Clifford B. Fagan	1951-57
John Roberts	1957-85
Doug Chickering	1985-09
Dave Anderson.....	2009-21

Wyoming

O.M. Thompson	1929-50
S.R. Clark.....	1950-51
James F. Jiacoletti.....	1951-60
Richard Schafer	1960-67
Robert Cook.....	1967-73
William T. Sullins	1973-86
Paul R. Martin Jr.....	1986-87
Mike Colbrese	1987-93
Larry Klaassen	1993-04
Ron Laird	2004-23

NFHS ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION

NATIONAL COUNCIL

The National Council consists of a representative of each high school association which holds membership in the NFHS. Each member association chooses its own representative.

The National Council elects the members of the Board of Directors.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors consists of 12 members, one representative from each of the eight geographic sections of the NFHS plus four at-large members. Each is elected by the National Council for a four-year term from the membership of governing boards or chief executive officers of the member state associations.

The NFHS Constitution provides that at-large representatives shall be governing board members.

The Board of Directors elects the president and president-elect and hires the executive director to administer the affairs of the NFHS.

Section Representatives

	Term Expires
1. Jeff Collins , Executive Director, New Hampshire Interscholastic Athletic Association	2027
2. Doug Ute , Executive Director, Ohio High School Athletic Association	2029
3. Eddie Bonine , Executive Director, Louisiana High School Athletic Association	2026
4. Stephanie Hauser , Executive Director, Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association	2028
5. Erich Martens , Executive Director, Minnesota State High School League	2029
6. President-Elect: Lance Taylor , Executive Director, Arkansas Activities Association	2027
7. President: Ron Nocetti , Executive Director, California Interscholastic Federation	2026
8. Billy Strickland , Executive Director, Alaska School Activities Association	2028

At-Large Representatives

(Sections 1 & 4)	D'Wayne Bates , Athletic Director Stevenson High School, Lincolnshire, Illinois	2028
(Sections 2 & 6)	Michael Sye , Athletic Director Baltimore (Maryland) County Public Schools System	2027
(Sections 3 & 7)	Tommy Cox , Principal Kapaa (Hawaii) High School	2026
(Sections 5 & 8)	Misty Wharton , Superintendent Nestucca Valley School District, Cloverdale, Oregon	2029

GENERAL COMMITTEES

Committees of the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) are organized so that all geographic sections are represented and all states within each section have an opportunity to participate. Appointments are made by the NFHS Board of Directors.

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NFHS Liaison – Shane Monaghan

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Jeff Collins (New Hampshire).....	2026
2.....	Patrick Gebhart (Pennsylvania).....	2027
3.....	Karen DeHart (North Carolina).....	2029
4.....	Mel Dow (Wisconsin).....	2027
5.....	Dr. Jennifer Rukstad (Missouri).....	2029
6.....	David Jackson (Oklahoma).....	2028
7.....	Rob Cuff (Utah).....	2028
8.....	Brian Michelotti (Montana).....	2026

Appeal Board

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Dr. Lauren Young (Vermont).....	2029
2.....	Andy Warner (Maryland).....	2026
3.....	Mark Reeves (Tennessee).....	2029
4.....	Tom Keating (Iowa).....	2028
5.....	Dr. Jennifer Rukstad (Missouri).....	2026
6.....	David Jackson (Oklahoma).....	2029
7.....	Dr. Jim Dean (Arizona).....	2027
8.....	Trevor Wilson (Wyoming).....	2028

National Athletic Directors Conference Advisory Committee

NFHS Liaison – Shane Monaghan

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Michael Bisson (Maine).....	2029
2.....	Mark Byers (Pennsylvania).....	2027
3.....	Dr. Kelli Smith (Georgia) (NIAAA).....	2026
4.....	Greg Harvey (Wisconsin) (NIAAA).....	2028
5.....	Casey Meile (South Dakota) (NIAAA).....	2027
6.....	Ray Zepeda (Texas) (NIAAA).....	2028
7.....	Nikkole Turner (Nevada) (NIAAA).....	2029
8.....	Kris Welch (Oregon).....	2026

Hall of Fame Screening Committee

Chair – Julian Tackett (Kentucky), 2028

NFHS Liaison – Bruce Howard

Section		Term Expires
1. & 4.....	Dr. Robert Baldwin (Massachusetts).....	2028
2. & 6.....	Bobby Swofford (Arkansas).....	2028
3. & 7.....	Dr. Jim Dean (Arizona).....	2026
5. & 8.....	Kathleen Navarre (Alaska).....	2029
NFHS Officials Association.....	Grant Gower (Oklahoma).....	2027
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Eric Saunders (Arkansas).....	2029
NFHS Board.....	Eddie Bonine (Louisiana).....	2026
NFHS Performing Arts Liaison.....	Tanya Roundy (Utah).....	2027

Student Services Committee
Chair – Kelly Foster (Oregon), 2026
NFHS Liaison – Elliot Hopkins

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Kristen Jadin (New York)	2029
2.....	Shawn Knight (Virginia)	2028
3.....	Carror Wright (Georgia)	2027
4.....	Andy Frushour (Michigan)	2029
5.....	Taryn Retzlaff (Nebraska)	2027
6.....	Rashaan Davis (Colorado)	2028
7.....	Sandy Ginger (Nevada)	2029
8.....	Stacia Rustad (Alaska)	2029
Canadian Representative.....	Jordan Abney (Canada)	
NFHS Coaches Association	Kathy Green (Maryland)	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	Jeremy Holaday (Kansas)	2027
NIAAA	Ben Tensay (New Mexico)	2028
NFHS Music Association.....	Beth LaBrie (Maine)	2026
NFHS Speech, Debate and Theatre Association.....	Beth Randolph (Kentucky)	2027

NFHS Coaches Association Advisory Committee

Chair – Kenny Chew (Hawaii), 2027
NFHS Liaison – Dan Schuster

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Todd Nelson (New York).....	2027
2.....	Sean Conley (District of Columbia)	2026
3.....	Scott Earley (South Carolina)	2028
4.....	Jane Schott (Indiana).....	2029
5.....	Hattie Burford (Nebraska)	2026
6.....	Eric Saunders (Arkansas)	2029
7.....	Rich Hamilton (Arizona).....	2027
8.....	Kip Ryan (Montana)	2028

NFHS Education Committee

Chair – Sam Knox (Illinois), 2027
NFHS Liaison – Dan Schuster

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Michael Bisson (Maine)	2027
2.....	Laura Parker (Virginia).....	2028
3.....	Shanell Young (Florida)	2029
4.....	Stephanie Hauser (Wisconsin)	2027
5.....	Kevin Morast (North Dakota)	2027
6.....	Gary Allison (New Mexico).....	2028
7.....	Natalie Iwamoto (Hawaii)	2029
8.....	Jenee James (Washington).....	2026
NIAAA	Kevin Simmerman (Kansas)	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	James Brewer (Kentucky)	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	Scott Goodheart (Kansas)	2028
NFHS Music Association.....	Terri Whitworth (Arkansas)	2027
NFHS Speech, Debate and Theatre Association.....	Chaya Pike (Alaska)	2028

NFHS Officials Association Advisory Committee

Chair – Kelly Haney (Virginia), 2029

NFHS Liaison – Dana Pappas

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Jeanne O'Brien (New Hampshire)	2029
2.....	Butch Cope (Kentucky)	2027
3.....	Greg Freeman (Mississippi)	2028
4.....	Brian Lewis (Indiana)	2028
5.....	Kristina Sage (South Dakota)	2027
6.....	Grant Gower (Oklahoma)	2029
7.....	Jeanie Kosower (Arizona)	2028
8.....	Chad Whitworth (Wyoming)	2029

National Records Committee

Chair – Matt Troha (Illinois), 2029

NFHS Liaison – Chris Boone

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Jeff Collins (New Hampshire)	2027
2.....	Lyndsay Barna (Pennsylvania)	2028
3.....	Romanda Noble-Watson (South Carolina)	2029
4.....	Craig Anderson (Illinois)	2026
5.....	Randy Soma (South Dakota)	2026
6.....	Logan Lawrence (Texas)	2029
7.....	Missy Mackay-Whiteurs (Utah)	2028
8.....	Cindy Adsit (Washington)	2027

National High School Spirit of Sport Award Selection Committee

NFHS Liaison – Chris Boone

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Steven Dubzinski (Massachusetts)	2028
2.....	David Baylor (Delaware)	2026
3.....	Matthew Gillespie (Tennessee)	2027
4.....	Cody Inglis (Michigan)	2029
5.....	Mark Lentz (Kansas)	2027
6.....	Van Shea Iven (Oklahoma)	2028
7.....	Jan Whittaker (Utah)	2029
8.....	Sandi Wagner (Alaska)	2026

National High School Heart of the Arts Award Selection Committee

NFHS Liaison – Chris Paulson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Richard Pearson (Massachusetts)	2028
2.....	Shawn Knight (Virginia)	2026
3.....	Leanna Dawson (Mississippi)	2027
4.....	Christopher Simonson (Wisconsin)	2027
5.....	Ross Eichele (Minnesota)	2027
6.....	Zac Stevenson (New Mexico)	2026
7.....	Erin Coy (Arizona)	2028
8.....	Chad Whitworth (Wyoming)	2028

Middle School Committee

Chair – Sarah Bridenbaugh (Kentucky), 2028
NFHS Liaison – Julie Cochran

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Dr. Robert Baldwin (Massachusetts)	2027
2.....	Keenan Huss (Pennsylvania).....	2028
3.....	LeAnna Dawson (Mississippi).....	2029
4.....	LeVar Ridgeway (Wisconsin).....	2026
5.....	Dr. Jennifer Rukstad (Missouri).....	2027
6.....	Nick Lasker (Arkansas)	2028
7.....	Lamont Robinson (California).....	2029
8.....	Justin Kesterson (Washington).....	2026

Sports Medicine Advisory Committee

Chair – Alex Diamond, D.O. (Tennessee), 2029
NFHS Liaison – Bob Colgate

Section		Term Expires
1. & 4.....	Craig Anderson (Illinois).....	2027
2. & 6.....	Trinity Johnson (Oklahoma)	2026
3. & 7.....	Craig Damon (Florida).....	2029
5. & 8.....	Justin Kesterson (Washington).....	2028
At Large:	Doug Gregory, M.D. (Virginia)	2026
.....	Karl Weenig, M.D. (Utah)	2026
.....	Lee Mancini, M.D. (Massachusetts).....	2028
.....	Dawn Mattern, M.D. (North Dakota)	2029
.....	Teri McCambridge, M.D. (Maryland).....	2027
.....	Shelly Jones, ATC (Oregon).....	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Chris McNamee (Kentucky)	2027
NFHS Officials Association.....	Gretchen Fowell (Montana), FNP-C.....	2029
NIAAA	Devin Wendel, ATC (Vermont).....	2028
Mental Health Consultant.....	Brandonn Harris, Ph.D. (Georgia).....	2029
Researcher	Tim McGuine, Ph.D., ATC (Wisconsin)	
RIO-ISS.....	Christy Collins, Ph.D. (Indiana)	
NCAA	LaGwyn Durden, ATC (Indiana)	
NATA.....	Ciara Taylor, Ed.D., LAT, ATC (Alabama)	

Technology Committee

Chair – Mick Hoffman (Washington), 2028
NFHS Liaison – Davis Whitfield

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Sherry Bryant (Massachusetts).....	2028
2.....	Desmond Stewart (District of Columbia)	2029
3.....	Keith Warren (Mississippi)	2030
4.....	Mark Gutknecht (Wisconsin)	2027
5.....	Nickolas Walton (North Dakota).....	2028
6.....	Bobby Swofford (Arkansas).....	2029
7.....	Kyle Miyamoto (Hawaii).....	2030
8.....	Gibby Reynolds (Oregon)	2027

SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES COMMITTEES

Baseball Rules Committee

Chair – Robert Faulkens (Indiana), 2026

NFHS Liaison – Elliot Hopkins

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Joe Altieri (New York)	2029
1.....	Curtis Nobles (New York)	2027
2.....	Jason Woodward (Maryland).....	2027
2.....	David Baylor (Delaware)	2029
3.....	Don Corr (Georgia)	2027
3.....	Ken Washington (Alabama)	2028
4.....	Sam Knox (Illinois)	2026
5.....	Brian Ash (Missouri).....	2029
6.....	AJ Martinez (Texas)	2028
7.....	Chris Healy (Nevada)	2028
8.....	Dave Williams (Oregon)	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Reed Secrist (Utah).....	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	Robbie Lindeman (Florida)	2029

Basketball Rules Committee

Chair – Ben Boothe (Kansas), 2029

NFHS Liaison – Monica Maxwell

Section		Term Expires
1.....	T.J. Halliday (Maine)	2028
2.....	Wayne Ryan (West Virginia)	2029
3.....	Sarah Hayes (South Carolina)	2028
4.....	Brian Lewis (Indiana)	2026
4.....	Ashley Logan (Illinois)	2029
5.....	Kristina Sage (North Dakota)	2029
6.....	Lenny Hatchett (Oklahoma)	2027
6.....	Joseph Garmon (Texas).....	2027
7.....	Lisa Bishop (Nevada)	2026
8.....	Missy Smith (Oregon).....	2027
8.....	Aleta Moss (Wyoming)	2028
NFHS Coaches Association	Mary Klinger (New Jersey).....	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	Tracy Black (Indiana)	2029

Field Hockey Rules Committee

Chair – Sherry Bryant (Massachusetts), 2028

NFHS Liaison – Monica Maxwell

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Sammie Briers (New Hampshire).....	2029
1.....	Jen Gouvin (Massachusetts).....	2027
2.....	Erin Maguire Osting (Kentucky)	2029
2.....	Kelley Haney (Virginia).....	2026
4.....	Paige Winne (Michigan).....	2029
5.....	Audrey Ploesser (Missouri)	2027
6.....	Asif Hosain (Colorado).....	2028
7.....	Amanda Warford (California)	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Kate Graft (Missouri)	2028
NFHS Officials Association.....	Maureen Dzwili (New Jersey).....	2026

Flag Football Rules Committee

Chair – Tyler Cerimeli (Arizona), 2028
NFHS Liaison – Bob Colgate

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Todd Nelson (New York).....	2027
2.....	Keivette Hammond (Maryland)	2026
3.....	Emily Crowell (Tennessee).....	2029
4.....	Tracie Henry (Illinois)	2028
5.....	Mark Lentz (Kansas)	2027
6.....	Arin Dunn (Colorado).....	2026
7.....	Brian Seymour (California)	2029
8.....	Kathleen Navarre (Alaska).....	2028
NFHS Coaches Association	Matthew Nighswonger (Nevada).....	2027
NFHS Officials Association.....	Jeremy Hernandez (Florida).....	2026

Football Rules Committee

Chair – Steve Roberts (Arkansas), 2028
Vice Chair – Steve Coover (California), 2028
NFHS Liaison – Bob Colgate

Alabama – Caleb Ross
Alaska – Brian Hosken
Arizona – Tyler Cerimeli
Arkansas – Steve Roberts
California – Steve Coover
Colorado – George Demetriou
Connecticut – Gregg Simon
Delaware – Andrew Bero
District of Columbia – Dwayne Marcus Sr.
Florida – Robbie Lindeman
Hawaii – Matt Sumstine
Idaho – Chad Williams
Illinois – Sam Knox
Indiana – Robert Faulkens
Iowa – Jared Chizek
Kansas – Mark Lentz
Kentucky – Julian Tackett
Louisiana – Lee Sanders

Maine – Ralph Damren
Maryland – Ryan Hines
Massachusetts – Richard Pearson
Michigan – Will McKoy
Minnesota – Bob Madison
Mississippi – Greg Freeman
Missouri – Lou Mazzocco
Montana – Scott Wilson
Nebraska – Nate Neuhaus
Nevada – Steve Rohwer
New Hampshire – Steve Hall
New Jersey – Greg Bailey
New Mexico – Tyler Dunkel
New York – Gary VanDerzee
North Carolina – Eddie Simmons
North Dakota – Jeff Risk
Ohio – Beau Rugg
Oklahoma – Trinity Johnson
Oregon – Kris Welch

Pennsylvania – David Blair
Rhode Island – Thomas Marcello
South Carolina – Charlie Wentzky
South Dakota – Randy Soma
Tennessee – Richard McWhirter
Utah – Brenan Jackson
Vermont – Mike Norman
Virginia – Dennis Hall
Washington – Andy Barnes
West Virginia – Larry McCloy
Wisconsin – Chad Schultz
Wyoming – Chad Whitworth
NFHS Coaches Association:
Mark Keel (Washington), 2029
NFHS Officials Association:
Jason Nickleby (Minnesota), 2026
NFHS Sports Medicine Advisory
Committee: Alex Diamond, D.O.,
2029 (Non-voting)

Girls Gymnastics Rules Committee

Chair – Amy Doherty (Minnesota), 2030
NFHS Liaison – Monica Maxwell

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Kimberly Longobucco (Connecticut).....	2026
2,3.....	Kelley Haney (Virginia).....	2026
4.....	Ashley Ernstberger (Indiana)	2028
5.....	Sue Hamre (South Dakota)	2028
6,7,8.....	Monique Lamphiere-Tamayoshi (California)	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Steve Cunningham (Georgia).....	2028
NFHS Officials Association.....	Nikki Pannone (Connecticut).....	2030

Ice Hockey Rules Committee

Chair – Matthew Fetsch (North Dakota), 2026
NFHS Liaison – Dan Schuster

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Craig Melanson (New Hampshire)	2026
1.....	Jack Lally (New Jersey)	2027
2.....	John Kronour (Ohio).....	2029
4.....	LeVar Ridgeway (Wisconsin).....	2027
5.....	Travis Kurtz (North Dakota)	2029
6.....	George Gwodecky (Colorado).....	2026
8.....	Wayne Sawchuk (Alaska).....	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Dustin Vogelgesang (Minnesota).....	2029
NFHS Officials Association.....	Bill Kronschabel (Minnesota).....	2028

Boys Lacrosse

Chair – Matt Dempsey (Minnesota), 2027
NFHS Liaison – Lindsey Atkinson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Lindsey Von Holtz (Massachusetts).....	2026
2.....	Scott Dede (Pennsylvania)	2028
3.....	Alex Ozuna (Florida).....	2026
4.....	Dan Le (Illinois)	2028
5.....	Jon Junker (Minnesota)	2029
6.....	Dave Malmquist (Colorado)	2028
7.....	Jeff Cluff (Utah)	2027
NFHS Coaches Association	Brandon Singleton (Illinois).....	2029
NFHS Officials Association.....	Walt Munze (New York)	2027
USA Lacrosse Representative	James Carboneau	

Girls Lacrosse

Chair – Barbara Martinichio (New York), 2029
NFHS Liaison – Lindsey Atkinson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Karen Guillemette (Massachusetts)	2027
2.....	Elizabeth Brush (Maryland).....	2028
3.....	Alex Ozuna (Florida).....	2029
4.....	Paige Winne (Michigan).....	2027
5.....	Phil Archer (Minnesota).....	2026
6.....	Melynda Brown (Colorado)	2028
7.....	Chris Shipman (Utah)	2026
NFHS Coaches Association	Sonorah Hunter (Colorado).....	2028
NFHS Officials Association.....	Cindy Beradino (New Jersey).....	2029
USA Lacrosse Representative	Jeffrey Grose	

Music Committee

Chair – Amy Perras (Connecticut), 2027
NFHS Liaison – Chris Paulson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	David Brown (New York)	2028
1.....	Shelly Bauer (New York)	2029
2.....	John Stroube (Kentucky)	2026
2.....	Brandon DuVall (Ohio).....	2027
3.....	Kathleen Sanz (Florida)	2026
4.....	Laurie Fellenz (Wisconsin)	2027
5.....	Taryn Retzlaff (Nebraska)	2027
5.....	Guillermo Rodriguez (Kansas)	2028
6.....	Zac Stevenson (New Mexico).....	2026
7.....	Justin Bills (Utah)	2029
8.....	Brent Rose (Wyoming)	2028

Soccer Rules Committee

Chair – Gibby Reynolds (Oregon), 2027

NFHS Liaison – Julie Cochran

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Bob Cavanagh (Rhode Island)	2028
2.....	Marianne Shultz (Maryland).....	2026
2.....	Mohan Telfer (District of Columbia).....	2028
3.....	Michael Federico (Louisiana)	2029
3.....	Roger Morton (North Carolina)	2027
4.....	Beth Sauser (Illinois)	2026
5.....	Steven Clark (Minnesota).....	2029
5.....	J. David Dancler (South Dakota).....	2029
6.....	Zac Stevenson (New Mexico).....	2028
7.....	Joe Oberndorfer (Nevada).....	2027
8.....	Sandi Wagner (Alaska)	2029
NFHS Coaches Association	Brianna Ledbetter (Virginia).....	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	Teri Connor (New Jersey)	2028

Softball Rules Committee

Chair – Andrea Osters (Michigan), 2026

NFHS Liaison – Sandy Searcy

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Sherry Bryant (Massachusetts).....	2028
2.....	Melissa Miranda Jones (Maryland).....	2029
3.....	Michelle Yeater (South Carolina)	2026
4.....	Kerrie Rosati (Indiana).....	2027
4.....	Kimberly Williams (Illinois).....	2028
5.....	Lisa Quednow (Minnesota)	2028
6.....	Scott Cochran (Colorado)	2029
7.....	Laura Traeger (Nevada)	2026
7.....	David Martinez (Arizona).....	2029
8.....	Tonia Burke (Oregon)	2027
8.....	Missy Smith (Oregon).....	2027
NFHS Coaches Association	Scott Aresco (Connecticut)	2029
NFHS Officials Association.....	Michiael Shannon (Indiana)	2026

Speech Committee

Chair – Shawn Knight (Virginia), 2029

NFHS Liaison – Chris Paulson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	D’Arcy Robinson (Maine).....	2029
2.....	Rich Follett (Virginia)	2028
2.....	Neomia Hagans Flores (Kentucky)	2029
3.....	Rachel Clapper (Mississippi)	2027
3.....	Jharick Shields (Mississippi)	2028
4.....	Susie Knoblauch (Illinois)	2026
4.....	Lauren Wells-Mann (Illinois).....	2027
5.....	Amy Doherty (Minnesota).....	2027
6.....	Jennifer Denslow (Oklahoma).....	2026
7.....	Andrea Jewett (Arizona).....	2028
8.....	Sandi Wagner (Alaska)	2029

Spirit Rules Committee

Chair – Kelly Foster (Oregon), 2027

NFHS Liaison – Chris Paulson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Susan Hartnett (Maine).....	2027
2.....	Kim Jones (District of Columbia).....	2027
3.....	Gwendolyn Clark (South Carolina).....	2029
4.....	Julie Jacobson (Wisconsin).....	2028
5.....	Toni Hill (Missouri).....	2028
6.....	Jenn Roberts-Uhlig (Colorado).....	2026
6.....	Christyal Parker (Arkansas).....	2028
7.....	Emily Stephens (Arizona).....	2026
7.....	Denee Easy (California).....	2027
8.....	Amy Bartels (Montana).....	2029
8.....	Camille Wright (Washington).....	2029
Officials Interpreter.....	Shaunda Brown (Missouri)	
USA Cheer Representative.....	Jim Lord (Tennessee)	

Swimming and Diving Rules Committee

Chair – Rod Garman (Kansas), 2026

NFHS Liaison – Sandy Searcy

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Sandra Mamary (New Jersey).....	2027
1.....	George Taylor III (New York).....	2029
2.....	Christopher Bley (Maryland).....	2026
2.....	Darren Bilberry (Kentucky).....	2027
3.....	Tara Osborne (Alabama).....	2029
4.....	Thomas Miller III (Wisconsin).....	2028
5.....	Samarah Hadley (Minnesota).....	2026
5.....	Madeline Martin (Kansas).....	2028
6.....	Grace McDowell (Texas).....	2027
7.....	Kendra Follett (Nevada).....	2028
8.....	Shelly Sobek (Idaho).....	2029
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Ed McNamee (Montana).....	2029
NFHS Officials Association.....	Ted Smits (Nebraska).....	2028

Track and Field Rules Committee

Chair – Jared Chizek (Iowa), 2027

NFHS Liaison – Julie Cochran

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Don Berry (Maine).....	2028
2.....	Patrick Castagno (Delaware).....	2029
3.....	Lonnie Tillman (Mississippi).....	2026
4.....	Melissa Gehring (Wisconsin).....	2027
4.....	Jamero Rainey (Illinois).....	2027
5.....	Nate Neuhaus (Nebraska).....	2028
6.....	Kevin Clark (Colorado).....	2027
6.....	Jackie Martinez (New Mexico).....	2029
7.....	Kimo Weaver (Hawaii).....	2029
7.....	Anthony Davis (Nevada).....	2028
8.....	Hashim Hall (Oregon).....	2026
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Trent Ellis (Louisiana).....	2026
NFHS Officials Association.....	BJ Duckworth (Ohio).....	2028

Volleyball Rules Committee

Chair – Emily Mason (Ohio), 2028

NFHS Liaison – Lindsey Atkinson

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Derryk Sellers (New Jersey).....	2026
1.....	Alex Butler (Rhode Island).....	2028
2.....	Donna Brady (Pennsylvania).....	2029
3.....	Rhonda Dreibelbis (North Carolina).....	2027
3.....	Jeremy Hernandez (Florida).....	2029
4.....	Stacey Lambert (Illinois).....	2028
5.....	Miranda Mizera (Missouri).....	2027
5.....	Jeff Stauss (Nebraska).....	2028
6.....	Bethany Brookens (Colorado).....	2027
7.....	Jan Whittaker (Utah).....	2026
8.....	Kip Ryan (Montana).....	2029
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Matt Seidl (Wisconsin).....	2028
NFHS Officials Association.....	Nora Carter (New Mexico).....	2026

Water Polo Rules Committee

Chair – Kristine Palle (California), 2026

NFHS Liaison – Sandy Searcy

Section		Term Expires
3.....	Eric Lefebvre (Florida).....	2031
3.....	Ryan Ackerson (Florida).....	2030
4.....	Beth Sauser (Illinois).....	2031
4.....	Nick Cargola (Illinois).....	2030
6.....	Grace McDowell (Texas).....	2028
6.....	Alberto Escalante (Texas).....	2027
7.....	Catharine Arroyo (California).....	2032
7.....	Levon Dermendjian (California).....	2030
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Alex Bennett (Florida).....	2032
NFHS Officials Association.....	Dillon Bankston (Texas).....	2033

Wrestling Rules Committee

Chair – Jack Young III (Pennsylvania), 2029

NFHS Liaison – Elliot Hopkins

Section		Term Expires
1.....	Mike Molloy (Vermont).....	2029
2.....	Brian Layman (Maryland).....	2027
3.....	Corey Sobers (Florida).....	2028
4.....	Michael Arendt (Wisconsin).....	2026
4.....	Krista Semkiv (Illinois).....	2028
5.....	Daryl Bradley (Missouri).....	2029
6.....	Dax Hill (Arkansas).....	2028
7.....	Chris Shipman (Utah).....	2026
7.....	Julie Gonzalez (California).....	2029
8.....	Justin Kesterson (Washington).....	2027
8.....	Gina Hopkins (Washington).....	2027
NFHS Coaches Association.....	Barb Morgan (Washington).....	2028
NFHS Officials Association.....	Rossie Trujillo (Colorado).....	2026

DELEGATES TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

Davis Whitfield (NFHS)	Affiliate Member Organization Council (USOPC)
Sandy Searcy (NFHS)	American Association of Adapted Sports Programs (AAASP)
Dana Pappas (NFHS)	Battlefields to Ballfields Board Member, Program Committee Chair
Dan Schuster (NFHS)	Cognia
Craig Anderson (Illinois)	Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (Secretary)
Mark Uyl (Michigan)	Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (Treasurer)
Karissa Niehoff (NFHS)	Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (Board of Directors)
Elliot Hopkins (NFHS)	Hazing Prevention Network (Board Member)
Bob Colgate (NFHS)	Joint Commission on Sports Medicine and Science
Davis Whitfield (NFHS)	Military Interstate Children's Contact Commission (MIC3)
Dana Pappas (NFHS)	National Association of Sports Officials Board Secretary
Dan Schuster (NFHS)	National Council for the Accreditation of Coach Education (NCACE)
Bob Colgate (NFHS)	National Operating Committee on Standards for Athletic Equipment (NOCSAE) Board of Directors (Ex-officio Committee Member)
Elliot Hopkins (NFHS)	National Wrestling Coaches Association (Ex-officio Board Member)
Bob Colgate (NFHS)	NCAA Competitive Safeguards & Medical Aspects of Sports (Ex-officio Committee Member)
Karissa Niehoff (NFHS)	NFHS Foundation Board of Directors
Davis Whitfield (NFHS)	
Karissa Niehoff (NFHS)	NFHS Network Board of Directors
Davis Whitfield (NFHS)	NFHS Network Holdings Company Board of Directors
Dana Pappas (NFHS)	Officiating Development Alliance
Sandy Searcy (NFHS)	Our Kids Initiative Board Member (Swimming)
Lindsey Atkinson (NFHS)	Special Olympics North America (SONA) National Recognition Program Certifying Body
Dana Pappas (NFHS)	Sports Officials Care Board Secretary

Lindsey Atkinson (NFHS)United States Tennis Association High School Tennis Committee (Chair)

Elliot Hopkins (NFHS)USA Baseball Board of Directors

Elliot Hopkins (NFHS)USA Baseball – Sports Medicine Advisory Committee

Davis Whitfield (NFHS)USA Cheer (Board of Directors)

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Diving Safe Sport Committee

Monica Maxwell (NFHS)USA Field Hockey Advocacy Group

Karissa Niehoff (NFHS)USA Football (Board of Directors)

Kathy Krebs (Illinois)USA Gymnastics – Advisory Council to Board of Directors

Lindsey Atkinson (NFHS)USA Lacrosse Women’s Game Youth and Interscholastic Subcommittee

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball (Board of Directors)

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball Equipment Testing and Certification Committee

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball DEI Committee

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball Member Improvement Panel

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball Marketing Committee

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Softball Governance Committee

Sandy Searcy (NFHS)USA Swimming – Rules and Regulations Committee

Julie Cochran (NFHS)USA Track and Field – Youth Advisory Council (Member)

Julie Cochran (NFHS)USA Track and Field Rules Advisory Commission (non-voting member)

Lindsey Atkinson (NFHS)USA Volleyball Rules Advisory Commission (non-voting member)

Elliot Hopkins (NFHS)USA Wrestling Board (Ex-Officio Committee Member)

Monica Maxwell (NFHS)Women’s Basketball Hall of Fame – Board of Directors

STATE ASSOCIATION SPONSORED COMPETITION – NONSPORTS ACTIVITIES

State	Academic	Art	Chess	Dance Team	Debate	Drama	Esports	Film Festival	Geography	Journalism	Music	Robotics	Science	Speech Events	Spelling	Spirit Groups	Student Council	Visual Arts
Alabama							X									X		
Alaska	X	X			X	X	X				X			X			X	
Arizona			X		X	X	X					X		X		X		
Arkansas							X											
California							X											
Colorado				X	X		X				X			X		X	X	
Connecticut				X	X		X				X	X	X	X		X	X	
Delaware																		
Dist. of Columbia			X				X											
Florida																		
Georgia				X		X	X				X			X			X	
Hawaii																		
Idaho				X	X	X								X				
Illinois	X		X	X		X	X			X	X			X		X		
Indiana																		
Iowa					X	X					X			X		X	X	
Kansas	X			X	X	X	X				X			X		X	X	
Kentucky				X			X											
Louisiana							X											
Maine					X	X	X							X			X	
Maryland																		
Massachusetts				X			X									X	X	
Michigan																		
Minnesota				X	X	X					X	X		X				X
Mississippi				X	X		X				X			X		X	X	
Missouri	X		X	X	X	X	X				X			X				
Montana					X	X					X			X				
Nebraska					X	X				X	X			X				
Nevada																	X	
New Hampshire							X											
New Jersey																		
New Mexico			X	X	X	X	X			X	X		X	X		X	X	
New York																		
North Carolina																X		
North Dakota					X	X					X			X				
Ohio							X											
Oklahoma	X				X	X	X				X			X		X		
Oregon				X	X						X			X				
Pennsylvania																		
Rhode Island							X											
South Carolina																		
South Dakota				X	X	X	X			X	X			X		X	X	X
Tennessee				X														
Texas	X				X	X		X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Utah				X	X	X	X				X			X				
Vermont	X			X	X	X			X	X			X	X	X		X	
Virginia	X				X	X		X		X		X		X				
Washington				X	X	X					X			X		X		
West Virginia											X							
Wisconsin																		
Wyoming		X		X	X	X				X	X			X		X	X	

*Includes combined participation

STATE ASSOCIATION SPONSORED ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

States Which Determine State Championships in Boys and Girls Sports. Boys (B), Girls (G), Mixed (M)	Adapted Athletics	Archery	Badminton	Baseball	Basketball	Bass Fishing	Beach Volleyball	Bowling	Clay Target Shooting	Competitive Cheer	Canoe Paddling	Cross Country	Decathlon/ Pentathlon/ Heptathlon	Field Hockey	Fencing	Football	Flag Football	Golf
Alabama				B	BG			BG		G		BG	BG			B	G	BG
Alaska				B	BG					M		BG				*B	G	
Arizona			G	B	BG		G			*G		BG				B	G	BG
Arkansas				B	BG			BG		*G		BG	BG			B		BG
California			BG	B	BG		G			*BG		BG		G		*B	G	BG
Colorado				*B	BG					*G		BG		G		*B	G	BG
Connecticut	BG			B	BG					*G		BG	BG	G		B	G	*BG
Delaware				B	BG							BG		G		*B		*B
Dist. of Columbia				B	BG					*B*G		BG				B		BG
Florida	BG			B	BG		G	BG		GM		BG				*B	G	BG
Georgia	M			B	BG	M				M*G		BG				B	G	BG
Hawaii				*B	BG			BG		*GM	BGM	BG				*B	G	BG
Idaho					BG					*BG		BG				B		BG
Illinois			G	B	BG	BG		BG		*BG		BG				B	G	BG
Indiana				B	BG							BG				B		BG
Iowa				B	BG			BG				BG				*B		BG
Kansas	BG			B	BG			BG		M		BG				*B		BG
Kentucky	BG	BG		B	BG	BG		BG		*G		BG		G		B		BG
Louisiana				B	BG	M		BG		G		BG				B		BG
Maine	BG			*B	BG					*M		BG		G		*B		BG
Maryland				B	BG							BG		G		B		BG
Massachusetts				*B	BG					BG		BG	BG	G		B		BG
Michigan				*B	BG			BG		G		BG		G		*B		BG
Minnesota	*B*G		G	*B	BG				M			BG				*B		BG
Mississippi		BG		B	BG			BG		BG		BG				B	G	BG
Missouri				B	BG							BG				B		BG
Montana				B	BG							BG				B	G	BG
Nebraska				B	BG			BG				BG				*B		*BG
Nevada				*B	BG			BG				BG				*B	G	BG
New Hampshire	M			B	BG	M		M		M		BG		G		B		BG
New Jersey				B	BG			BG				BG		G	BG	B		BG
New Mexico				B	BG			*BG		*G		BG				*B		BG
New York				B	BG			BG		G		BG		G		B	G	BG
North Carolina				B	BG							BG				*B		BG
North Dakota				B	BG							BG				B		BG
Ohio				B	BG			BG				BG		G		B		BG
Oklahoma				B	BG					*G		BG				*B		BG
Oregon				*B	BG					*G		BG				*B		BG
Pennsylvania				B	BG					*G		BG		G		B	G	BG
Rhode Island	BG			B	BG					*G		BG		G		*B		*B*G
South Carolina				B	BG					G		BG				B		BG
South Dakota					BG					G		BG				B		BG
Tennessee				*B	BG			BG		*BG		BG	BG			*B	G	BG
Texas	BG			*B	BG					BG		BG				*B		BG
Utah				*B	BG					GM		BG				*B		BG
Vermont				B	BG	BG		BG		*G		BG		G		*B		BG
Virginia				B	BG					*G		BG		G		*B		BG
Washington	BG			B	BG			G		*BG		BG				B	G	BG
West Virginia				B	BG					*G		BG				*B		*B
Wisconsin				B	BG							BG				B		BG
Wyoming					BG					*G		BG				*B		BG

*Includes combined participation

STATE ASSOCIATION SPONSORED ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

States Which
Determine State
Championships in
Boys and Girls Sports.
Boys (B), Girls (G),
Mixed (M)

	Gymnastics	Ice Hockey	Indoor Track	Judo	Lacrosse	Rifflery	Skiing	Soccer	Softball	Surfing	Swimming/ Diving	Synchronized Swimming	Tennis	Track	Ultimate	Unified Sports	Volleyball	Water Polo	Weightlifting	Wrestling
Alabama			BG					BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	G			BG
Alaska		*B					BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG			GM			BG
Arizona								BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Arkansas								BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	G			BG
California	G				BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG	BG		BG
Colorado	G	*B			BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Connecticut	G	*B	BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			*B
Delaware			BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		M	G			*B
Dist. of Columbia			BG		G			BG	G		BG		*B*G	BG	M		G			BG
Florida					BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG	BG	BG	BG
Georgia	G				BG	M		BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Hawaii				BG		BG		BG	G	BG			BG	BG		BG	BG	G		BG
Idaho								BG	G		BG		*B*G	BG			G			BG
Illinois	G				BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG	BG		BG
Indiana	G							BG	G		BG		BG	BG		M	BG			BG
Iowa								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Kansas	G							BG	G		BG		BG	BG		M	G			BG
Kentucky			BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Louisiana	BG		BG					BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G		BG	B
Maine		BG	BG		BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG		M	G			BG
Maryland			BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Massachusetts	BG	BG	BG		BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Michigan	G	*B			BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			*B
Minnesota	G	BG			BG		BG	BG	G		BG	G	BG	BG			BG			BG
Mississippi			BG					BG	G		*B*G		*B*G	BG			G		BG	BG
Missouri								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG	BG		BG
Montana								BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	G			BG
Nebraska								BG	G		BG		BG	BG		M	G			BG
Nevada							BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			*B
New Hampshire	G	BG	BG		BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			M
New Jersey	G	BG	BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
New Mexico								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G		BG	BG
New York	G	B	BG		BG		BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			B
North Carolina			BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
North Dakota	G	BG						BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Ohio	G	B			BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			BG
Oklahoma								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Oregon								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG
Pennsylvania					BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Rhode Island	G	BG	BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			*B
South Carolina					BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			BG
South Dakota	G							BG	G				BG	BG			G			BG
Tennessee								BG	G				BG	BG			G			BG
Texas								BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	G	BG		BG
Utah					BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG		BG	BG			BG
Vermont	G	BG	BG		BG		BG	BG	G				BG	BG	BG	BG	BG			*B
Virginia	G		BG		BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			*B
Washington	G							BG	#G		BG		BG	BG		BG	G			BG
West Virginia								BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			*B
Wisconsin	G	BG			BG			BG	G		BG		BG	BG			BG			BG
Wyoming			BG				BG	BG	G		BG		BG	BG			G			BG

*Includes combined participation

Fast-pitch and Slow-pitch

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2024-25 School Year

SPORT	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
(Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Participants
Adapted Sports (16/14)					
Basketball	64	575	54	365	940
Bocce – Indoor	139	1,029	134	1,044	2,073
Bowling	242	1,050	241	716	1,766
Corn Toss	19	129	21	89	218
Cross Country	3	3			3
Floor Hockey	112	374	112	162	536
Football	17	123	11	40	163
Golf	13	65	5	13	78
Handball	8	34	6	23	57
Soccer	149	562	144	291	853
Softball	147	685	147	356	1,041
Strength Training	13	157	12	132	289
Swimming	12	16	16	12	28
Tennis	50	367	46	370	737
Track and Field	125	542	101	450	992
Volleyball	6	83	5	81	164
Air Riflery (6/6)	190	1,317	190	1,137	2,454
Archery (7/7)	486	6,377	455	6,641	13,018
Badminton (5/7)	270	5,522	580	14,041	19,563
Baseball (49/31)	16,110	472,598	1,342	1,381	473,979
Basketball (51/51)	18,690	540,704	18,208	356,240	896,944
Bass Fishing (9/9)	932	6,489	200	479	6,968
Bocce – Outdoor (2/2)	4	27	4	39	66
Bowling (26/27)	3,544	33,609	3,443	26,224	59,833
Canoe Paddling (2/2)	65	1,311	66	1,291	2,602

SPORT	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
(Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Participants
Competitive Spirit (27/34)	954	4,247	8,465	206,262	210,509
Crew/Rowing (6/6)	44	959	45	1,063	2,022
Cross Country (51/51)	16,091	241,565	15,836	191,733	433,298
Cycling (3/3)	6	79	5	35	114
Dance (14/17)	233	1,103	2,016	31,099	32,202
Dance Team, High Kick (1/2)		54	219	3,974	4,028
Dance Team, Jazz (5/5)	44	115	297	4,601	4,716
Dance/Drill (8/9)	409	776	750	9,938	10,714
Decathlon (6/3)	286	482	39	236	718
Drill Team (3/4)	27	190	166	3,963	4,153
Equestrian (3/3)	46	111	156	649	760
Esports (23/21)	2,285	25,651	1,275	4,789	30,440
Fencing (3/4)	81	1,357	78	1,185	2,542
Field Hockey (5/19)	3	92	1,768	50,764	50,856
Figure Skating (2/3)	7	8	65	354	362
Flag Football (5/20)	47	825	2,736	68,847	69,672
Football – 11-Player (51/41)	14,269	1,029,588	2,066	4,837	1,034,425
Football – 6-Player (9/6)	346	6,760	219	43	6,803
Football – 8-Player (21/12)	1,060	22,032	130	61	22,093
Football – 9-Player (7/5)	277	6,305	80	28	6,333
Golf (50/49)	14,023	162,357	11,116	85,385	247,742
Gymnastics (9/27)	95	135	1,762	14,996	15,131
Heptathlon (1/3)	7	22	236	128	150
Ice Hockey (19/17)	1,682	32,253	904	9,589	41,842
Judo (1/1)	46	758	43	530	1,288
Kayaking (2/1)	2	11	1	5	16
Lacrosse (28/29)	3,346	113,696	3,324	99,292	212,988
Martial Arts (3/3)	7	40	5	12	52
Mixed 6–Coed Volleyball (1/1)	36	200	36	231	431
Mt. Biking (6/6)	99	2,449	93	1,357	3,806

SPORT	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
(Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Participants
Other Sports	93	1,094	86	825	1,919
Pickleball (3/3)	25	286	23	183	469
Riflery (9/8)	236	1,755	213	1,243	2,998
Rock Climbing (3/3)	15	138	14	77	215
Rodeo (3/3)	37	220	43	230	450
Roller Hockey (1/1)	11	102	9	54	156
Rugby (5/5)	106	2,912	55	905	3,817
Sailing (4/4)	45	257	40	190	447
Skiing – Alpine (12/12)	605	5,029	609	4,382	9,411
Skiing – Cross Country (12/12)	315	3,326	305	3,182	6,508
Snowboarding (5/5)	48	521	42	275	796
Soccer (51/51)	12,969	484,908	12,516	393,048	877,956
Soft Tennis (2/2)	15	168	16	183	351
Softball – Fast Pitch (4/51)	6	130	15,726	338,315	338,445
Softball – Slow Pitch (1/7)	1	8	368	5,767	5,775
Squash (2/2)	5	22	5	40	62
Stunt (1/2)	93	448	352	8,716	9,164
Surfing (2/2)	54	992	50	436	1,428
Swimming & Diving (48/48)	8,105	119,102	8,357	138,303	257,405
Synchronized Swimming (0/2)			30	330	330
Tennis (51/51)	10,373	158,667	12,175	204,721	363,388
Track and Field – Indoor (22/22)	3,396	89,019	3,304	71,358	160,377
Track and Field – Outdoor (51/51)	17,390	644,235	17,373	513,808	1,158,043
Target Shooting (4/4)	470	8,120	448	2,506	10,626
Ultimate Frisbee (6/6)	55	958	47	509	1,467
Unified Basketball (17/17)	1,159	14,236	838	10,213	24,449
Unified Bass Fishing (1/0)	1	4			4
Unified Bocce (2/2)	328	1,544	327	1,527	3,071

SPORT	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
(Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Participants
Unified Bowling (12/12))	585	6,210	277	4,951	11,161
Unified Cheer (3/3)	9	24	23	264	288
Unified Corn Toss (1/1)	101	1,384	101	1,383	2,767
Unified Cross Country (0/1)			2	8	8
Unified Flag Football (8/8)	107	1,428	94	945	2,373
Unified Golf (2/2)	4	21	3	4	25
Unified Soccer (6/6)	270	2,863	270	2,497	5,360
Unified Softball (2/2)	6	95	7	58	153
Unified Strength Training (1/1)	5	349	4	150	499
Unified Tennis (1/0)	2	3			3
Unified Track and Field – Outdoor (23/23)	872	9,638	808	9,250	18,888
Unified Volleyball (6/6)	50	501	50	456	957
Volleyball (32/51)	4,303	95,972	17,027	492,799	588,771
Volleyball – Beach (1/3)	40	967	631	11,514	12,481
Water Polo (9/9)	1,053	21,756	1,067	18,023	39,779
Weightlifting (11/10)	1,074	19,054	1,000	14,301	33,355
Wrestling (51/50)	11,526	300,214	8,100	74,064	374,278

NFHS ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

(As of 2024-25 school year)

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	18,690	1.	Football – 11-Player	1,029,588
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	17,390	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	644,235
3.	Baseball	16,110	3.	Basketball	540,704
4.	Cross Country	16,091	4.	Soccer	484,908
5.	Football – 11-Player	14,269	5.	Baseball	472,598
6.	Golf	14,023	6.	Wrestling	300,214
7.	Soccer	12,969	7.	Cross Country	241,565
8.	Wrestling	11,526	8.	Golf	162,357
9.	Tennis	10,373	9.	Tennis	158,667
10.	Swimming & Diving	8,105	10.	Swimming & Diving	119,102

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	18,208	1.	Track and Field – Outdoor	513,808
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	17,373	2.	Volleyball	492,799
3.	Volleyball	17,027	3.	Soccer	393,048
4.	Cross Country	15,836	4.	Basketball	356,240
5.	Softball – Fast Pitch	15,726	5.	Softball – Fast Pitch	338,315
6.	Soccer	12,516	6.	Competitive Spirit	206,262
7.	Tennis	12,175	7.	Tennis	204,721
8.	Golf	11,116	8.	Cross Country	191,733
9.	Competitive Spirit	8,465	9.	Swimming & Diving	138,303
10.	Swimming & Diving	8,357	10.	Lacrosse	99,292

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	2005-06	4,206,549	2,953,355	7,159,904
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	2006-07	4,321,103	3,021,807	7,342,910
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	2007-08	4,372,115	3,057,266	7,429,381
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	2008-09	4,422,662	3,114,091	7,536,753
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	2009-10	4,455,740	3,172,637	7,628,377
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2010-11	4,494,406	3,173,549	7,667,955
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2011-12	4,484,987	3,207,533	7,692,520
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2012-13	4,490,854	3,222,723	7,713,577
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2013-14	4,527,994	3,267,664	7,795,658
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2014-15	4,519,312	3,287,735	7,807,047
1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851	2015-16	4,541,959	3,324,306	7,866,265
1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671	2016-17	4,563,238	3,400,297	7,963,535
1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654	2017-18	4,565,580	3,415,306	7,980,886
1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878	2018-19	4,534,758	3,402,733	7,937,491
1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282	2019-20	Data unavailable due to COVID-19 pandemic.		
1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820	2020-21	Data unavailable due to COVID-19 pandemic.		
1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988	2021-22	4,376,582	3,241,472	7,618,054
1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268	2022-23	4,529,795	3,318,184	7,851,833
1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453	2023-24	4,638,785	3,423,517	8,062,302
1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078	2024-25	4,726,648	3,539,596	8,266,244

SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION

(Data from 2024-25 school year)

TOTALS BY STATE

State	Boys	Girls	Total ¹	State	Boys	Girls	Total ¹
1. Texas	515,383	364,020	879,403	27. Kansas	63,435	50,953	114,389
2. California	474,876	377,699	852,575	28. Oklahoma	64,694	48,744	113,438
3. Ohio	184,522	151,286	335,808	29. Connecticut	63,326	48,338	111,664
4. Pennsylvania	178,338	154,785	333,123	30. South Carolina	68,314	42,542	110,856
5. Illinois	187,357	141,005	328,362	31. Oregon	59,713	46,732	106,445
6. New York	183,822	143,246	327,068	32. Louisiana	65,566	37,802	103,368
7. Florida	172,042	136,354	308,396	33. Utah	55,781	41,717	97,498
8. Michigan	173,320	124,926	298,246	34. Arkansas	51,511	36,867	88,378
9. New Jersey	162,533	119,438	281,971	35. Nebraska	47,741	34,380	82,121
10. Minnesota	128,748	103,599	232,347	36. Idaho	31,440	23,423	54,863
11. Massachusetts	126,405	95,826	222,231	37. New Mexico	30,042	23,074	53,116
12. Georgia	123,636	87,541	211,177	38. Maine	29,286	23,380	52,666
13. North Carolina	121,331	86,217	207,548	39. Nevada	26,290	18,468	44,758
14. Wisconsin	111,308	75,234	186,542	40. New Hampshire	23,286	18,744	42,030
15. Virginia	105,170	75,940	181,110	41. Hawaii	20,758	16,126	36,884
16. Washington	102,057	79,020	181,077	42. West Virginia	21,374	15,108	36,482
17. Missouri	103,322	75,846	179,168	43. Montana	19,149	14,757	33,906
18. Alabama	106,843	65,489	172,332	44. South Dakota	18,846	14,806	33,652
19. Indiana	96,322	65,690	162,012	45. Rhode Island	18,838	13,855	32,693
20. Colorado	80,550	66,589	147,139	46. North Dakota	17,744	13,753	31,497
21. Iowa	80,088	59,256	139,344	47. Delaware	16,341	11,571	27,912
22. Arizona	77,393	59,392	136,785	48. Wyoming	12,196	10,021	22,217
23. Maryland	69,873	56,634	126,507	49. Alaska	10,134	8,341	18,475
24. Tennessee	75,771	47,739	123,510	50. District of Columbia	7,252	6,062	13,314
25. Mississippi	71,547	50,057	121,604	51. Vermont	5,614	4,429	10,043
26. Kentucky	65,419	52,775	118,194				

¹ Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports – three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	410	16,284	416	19,459	123	342	279	2,748
Alaska	26	590	164	1,746	8	58	94	1,037
Arizona	266	8,074	280	8,943			245	3,328
Arkansas	273	6,126	303	6,364	92	939	209	2,389
California	1,260	42,972	1,489	46,402	4	22	1,347	27,460
Colorado	267	7,884	350	9,710			271	3,681
Connecticut	170	4,459	180	5,273			177	3,031
Delaware	53	1,348	51	1,549			53	902
Dist. of Columbia	27	540	44	1,078			34	521
Florida	662	18,230	745	21,030	239	1,592	685	7,630
Georgia	417	12,098	436	11,752			412	6,895
Hawaii	63	1,680	74	1,837	49	471	72	1,101
Idaho	108	2,649	160	3,902			138	1,964
Illinois	599	19,322	803	20,723	440	3,349	736	9,827
Indiana	384	10,256	406	10,310			380	4,981
Iowa	344	9,945	359	10,238	118	1,906	337	5,007
Kansas	273	6,441	343	8,247	94	1,235	296	3,275
Kentucky	261	7,315	280	6,709	127	1,392	254	2,880
Louisiana	358	8,811	393	7,961	102	868		
Maine	132	2,899	141	3,502	3	37	119	1,145
Maryland	189	5,141	196	5,377	5	38	188	3,564
Massachusetts	346	10,939	372	12,698			335	5,759
Michigan	650	16,044	741	20,536	408	4,312	658	8,205
Minnesota	451	12,390	494	14,181			468	6,368
Mississippi	231	7,290	231	11,010	58	712	198	2,650
Missouri	535	12,711	596	13,117	8	80	475	5,599
Montana	40	851	164	3,410			117	1,187
Nebraska	111	3,036	303	6,502	74	833	267	2,834
Nevada	97	2,446	116	3,228	39	383	92	1,011
New Hampshire	89	2,173	89	2,472	16	138	74	1,008
New Jersey	388	13,321	422	14,379	251	2,986	389	8,005
New Mexico	114	3,306	155	4,062	24	220	124	1,529
New York	687	16,358	727	20,430	415	3,954	589	7,533
North Carolina	408	10,385	439	11,491			403	6,027
North Dakota	135	1,838	166	2,937			127	859
Ohio	785	21,733	810	20,672	508	4,429	757	9,520
Oklahoma	435	9,155	469	9,581			368	3,546
Oregon	231	5,654	290	7,530			234	3,641
Pennsylvania	646	20,672	723	21,690	179	1,790	600	12,000
Rhode Island	50	1,583	51	2,235			44	753
South Carolina	209	7,029	223	6,679			196	3,398
South Dakota			155	3,418			152	1,036
Tennessee	360	8,889	397	8,275	155	1,495	341	3,919
Texas	1,206	53,923	1,378	62,977			1,379	27,892
Utah	126	4,064	144	4,094			135	3,140
Vermont	32	597	32	697	5	28	30	271
Virginia	313	8,816	315	9,312			303	5,383
Washington	336	9,593	389	11,550			333	7,677
West Virginia	115	2,661	121	2,660			97	910
Wisconsin	442	12,077	495	15,016			433	5,957
Wyoming			70	1,753			47	582

State	FOOTBALL 11-PLAYER		FOOTBALL 8-PLAYER		GOLF		ICE HOCKEY	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	392	27,953			298	3,009		
Alaska	22	1,470					23	427
Arizona	224	19,177	25	556	214	1,937		
Arkansas	202	12,162	24	542	234	1,775		
California	1,036	91,411	108	2,558	1,018	12,300	20	506
Colorado	202	14,597	41	864	201	2,901	36	1,454
Connecticut	138	8,902			152	1,691	52	1,334
Delaware	46	2,718			45	387		
Dist. of Columbia	25	1,186	1	30	18	126	3	71
Florida	574	37,872			580	4,678		
Georgia	709	32,445			372	3,413		
Hawaii	60	3,982	4	115	56	471		
Idaho	88	7,180	52	1,034	111	1,318		
Illinois	663	35,883			664	7,778		
Indiana	314	20,878			358	4,306		
Iowa	269	16,377	68	1,715	339	5,332		
Kansas	225	13,827	92	1,853	237	2,978		
Kentucky	223	13,391			251	2,411		
Louisiana	312	20,696			251	1,405		
Maine	66	2,952	36	726	113	1,385	76	917
Maryland	181	13,273			164	1,407	3	44
Massachusetts	332	17,220			284	4,640	281	6,729
Michigan	522	33,427	132	2,692	535	7,333	285	3,092
Minnesota	365	22,018			398	6,242	298	5,077
Mississippi	229	28,236			153	1,100		
Missouri	327	21,420	68	1,140	357	4,581		
Montana	68	3,560	43	915	112	1,179		
Nebraska	135	8,679	132	2,446	257	2,806		
Nevada	97	6,322	18	360	81	705		
New Hampshire	61	3,129			65	939	61	918
New Jersey	339	22,642			300	4,282	104	3,091
New Mexico	90	6,453	21	392	83	899		
New York	519	25,874	19	386	538	6,403	163	2,439
North Carolina	385	28,761			373	3,247		
North Dakota	78	3,145			144	1,439	51	683
Ohio	721	39,439			711	8,486	75	1,680
Oklahoma	256	14,768	79	1,579	256	2,588		
Oregon	153	10,733	23	464	180	2,173		
Pennsylvania	554	27,700			513	5,130		
Rhode Island	47	2,619			37	623	36	664
South Carolina	208	18,835			165	1,823		
South Dakota	58	3,512			162	1,382		
Tennessee	352	22,473			322	2,991		
Texas	1,101	174,126			1,266	15,438		
Utah	106	9,861	10	238	124	1,941	15	277
Vermont	19	545			21	154	15	193
Virginia	312	22,970			295	3,067		
Washington	342	21,074			102	1,593		
West Virginia	112	5,601			101	1,164		
Wisconsin	371	23,772	64	1,427	371	6,257	85	2,657
Wyoming	39	2,342			41	744		

State	LACROSSE		SOCCER		SWIMMING AND DIVING		TENNIS	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama			215	10,286	125	832	188	1,957
Alaska			26	713	32	285	18	260
Arizona			227	8,959	163	2,299	182	2,102
Arkansas	4	92	120	3,552	59	507	141	1,367
California	273	10,060	1,379	56,884	902	18,051	956	17,639
Colorado	73	3,278	226	9,572	73	1,640	111	3,091
Connecticut	100	3,267	176	7,216	88	1,608	130	1,852
Delaware	41	1,299	55	2,043	41	587	34	422
Dist. of Columbia	8	256	25	830	15	160	23	227
Florida	233	7,241	699	20,926	479	5,917	529	4,973
Georgia	114	4,031	394	12,643	261	3,260	371	4,273
Hawaii			64	1,606	58	663	56	597
Idaho			79	2,579	52	618	62	1,246
Illinois	173	4,386	577	20,318	514	4,703	387	5,929
Indiana			314	9,878	242	3,054	293	4,766
Iowa			176	6,757	48	1,213	113	2,152
Kansas			108	4,656	95	1,473	127	2,427
Kentucky	40	1,137	222	7,134	144	1,471	229	2,301
Louisiana			190	5,254	159	1,065	166	1,441
Maine	72	1,983	136	3,863	49	417	72	770
Maryland	161	5,888	190	7,368	110	1,742	176	1,994
Massachusetts	252	7,967	358	14,969	246	2,409	258	3,325
Michigan	173	5,023	485	14,063	266	4,031	288	6,133
Minnesota	137	3,601	288	11,480	168	3,001	193	4,234
Mississippi			146	5,360	62	715	165	1,698
Missouri			253	8,877	127	1,769	183	3,325
Montana			38	975	26	263	48	725
Nebraska			90	3,013	74	695	69	1,213
Nevada			76	2,700	63	596	63	899
New Hampshire	52	1,672	88	2,970	40	231	45	622
New Jersey	218	8,442	402	20,007	243	4,635	308	5,642
New Mexico			75	2,541	47	528	58	716
New York	358	11,708	654	20,041	339	4,039	467	7,152
North Carolina	123	4,163	416	13,606	306	3,549	320	3,733
North Dakota			28	801	27	334	24	475
Ohio	153	5,853	598	17,302	433	4,256	410	5,777
Oklahoma			129	4,811	64	724	109	1,641
Oregon			202	7,397	127	1,913	124	2,226
Pennsylvania	210	7,350	571	19,985	326	9,780	380	4,560
Rhode Island	34	1,017	49	1,982	34	282	38	591
South Carolina	50	2,512	186	7,211	113	1,327	113	1,447
South Dakota			32	866			25	429
Tennessee	49	1,653	324	9,190			273	2,554
Texas			753	49,032	572	9,876	1,182	21,852
Utah	67	3,003	114	4,418	98	2,034	99	2,101
Vermont	18	448	35	989			3	25
Virginia	120	4,988	292	10,773	239	3,745	248	2,782
Washington			295	12,917	169	3,758	246	6,086
West Virginia			84	2,178	47	434	68	558
Wisconsin	40	1,378	283	10,398	114	2,217	186	3,993
Wyoming			27	1,019	26	396	16	367

State	TRACK AND FIELD INDOOR		TRACK AND FIELD OUTDOOR		VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	184	4,965	383	13,124			172	5,585
Alaska			49	1,226			73	1,392
Arizona			260	10,673	138	3,736	213	6,048
Arkansas	72	1,565	271	6,035			68	1,727
California			1,279	58,457	1,138	27,731	894	26,457
Colorado			318	11,028	83	2,170	233	6,010
Connecticut	169	5,703	177	7,039	56	1,420	115	2,885
Delaware	42	1,080	51	1,759	33	635	50	1,249
Dist. of Columbia	22	444	40	823	4	55	16	228
Florida			696	20,669	262	4,237	424	9,273
Georgia			431	16,619			354	9,336
Hawaii			72	2,171	66	1,632	60	1,447
Idaho			150	5,737			109	3,066
Illinois			776	25,444	380	7,505	585	13,670
Indiana			396	15,162	134	2,931	314	7,628
Iowa			351	12,608			284	6,744
Kansas			343	10,868			228	5,323
Kentucky	163	1,121	271	7,120	72	1,293	144	3,062
Louisiana	305	2,140	384	10,193			100	2,559
Maine	80	1,837	112	3,043	11	138	70	960
Maryland	194	6,230	195	8,265	35	714	183	5,176
Massachusetts	289	10,282	331	15,054	162	3,813	243	5,122
Michigan	61	509	685	24,759	106	1,522	503	10,917
Minnesota			506	16,939	106	2,383	354	7,778
Mississippi	28	402	228	6,521			20	620
Missouri			550	17,371	102	2,358	269	7,953
Montana			162	3,852			113	1,642
Nebraska			303	8,405			274	4,876
Nevada			110	3,755	47	1,420	82	2,306
New Hampshire	62	1,311	78	2,579	18	304	50	889
New Jersey	351	13,480	388	20,263	219	6,380	313	12,040
New Mexico			148	4,438	16	239	67	1,722
New York	455	13,519	638	21,388	265	4,475	506	11,321
North Carolina	318	7,902	418	15,474	109	2,750	351	9,733
North Dakota			155	3,117			111	1,111
Ohio			796	29,286	149	2,973	633	12,945
Oklahoma			398	8,560			176	5,709
Oregon			279	11,018			199	5,525
Pennsylvania	208	3,120	610	24,400	241	4,820	476	11,900
Rhode Island	43	1,650	47	1,877	38	965	40	1,131
South Carolina			213	10,271	55	900	167	6,882
South Dakota			159	4,125	0	121	98	1,410
Tennessee			328	8,941			194	5,129
Texas			1,378	74,770			408	18,274
Utah	21	634	134	6,944	92	2,274	116	3,905
Vermont	16	250	26	580	6	185	11	80
Virginia	279	10,007	315	12,711	93	1,775	285	7,999
Washington			361	17,777			296	9,907
West Virginia			110	3,063			91	2,145
Wisconsin			460	15,890	67	2,118	340	8,151
Wyoming	34	868	71	2,044			51	1,267

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	California	9	117	Adapted Volleyball	Utah	3	16
	Georgia	16	134		California	2	54
	Maine	5	41		Maine	1	20
	Maryland	9	86	Air Riflery	Michigan	3	9
	Michigan	7	59		Alaska	13	113
	Utah	8	72		Georgia	107	590
	Vermont	10	66		Hawaii	50	483
Adapted Bocce	Maryland	139	1,029		Michigan	3	19
Adapted Bowling	California	1	11		New York	15	85
	Kentucky	2	5		Utah	2	27
	Maine	1	7	Archery	Arkansas	67	801
	Maryland	54	578		California	13	164
	Michigan	1	7		Kentucky	213	2,992
	Minnesota	182	432		Michigan	19	251
	Vermont	1	10		Mississippi	135	1,720
Adapted Corn Toss	Maryland	19	129		Missouri	37	415
Adapted Cross Country	Alaska	2	2		Utah	2	34
	California	1	1	Badminton	California	221	4,702
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	112	374		Illinois	1	10
Adapted Football	California	4	46		Maryland	21	210
	Georgia	13	77		New York	26	596
Adapted Golf	Maine	3	32		Utah	1	4
	Maryland	9	28	Bass Fishing	Arkansas	45	333
	Michigan	1	5		Georgia	111	939
Adapted Handball	Georgia	8	34		Illinois	494	2,805
Adapted Soccer	California	7	79		Kentucky	133	1,470
	Maryland	26	152		Louisiana	50	121
	Michigan	2	7		Michigan	38	358
	Minnesota	109	292		Missouri	20	129
	Utah	3	24		New Hampshire	32	289
	Vermont	2	8		Vermont	9	45
Adapted Softball	California	1	16	Bocce - Outdoor	Maine	3	10
	Maryland	42	256		Utah	1	17
	Minnesota	104	413	Canoe Paddling	Hawaii	64	1,307
Adapted Strength Training	Maryland	10	136		Maine	1	4
	Michigan	3	21	Competitive Spirit	Arizona	84	179
Adapted Swimming	Pennsylvania	10	9		Arkansas	47	128
	Utah	2	7		California	193	1,003
Adapted Tennis	Maine	1	10		District of Columbia	1	2
	Maryland	48	356		Florida	0	240
	Michigan	1	1		Georgia	40	92
Adapted Track and Field	Alaska	3	3		Hawaii	19	36
	California	15	112		Idaho	43	86
	Florida	7	11		Illinois	0	300
	Georgia	8	71		Kansas	70	173
	Kentucky	5	19		Kentucky	0	208
	Maine	2	14		Maine	9	16
	Maryland	39	254		Maryland	50	86
	Michigan	8	8		Mississippi	27	160
	Missouri	9	9		New Hampshire	7	8
	Oregon	4	4		New Mexico	42	124
	Pennsylvania	5	4		New York	0	294
	Texas	17	17		North Carolina	20	510

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
	Ohio	0	75	Drill Team	California	26	154
	Oklahoma	0	30		Maine	1	9
	Oregon	48	86		South Dakota	0	27
	Rhode Island	0	2	Equestrian	California	5	17
	South Dakota	40	55		Michigan	37	70
	Utah	38	120		Utah	4	24
	Virginia	63	103	Esports	Alabama	97	179
	Washington	80	105		Alaska	10	79
	Wyoming	33	26		Arizona	101	1,084
Crew/Rowing	California	10	227		Arkansas	131	1,527
	District of Columbia	7	197		California	255	3,576
	Maine	2	25		Colorado	140	1,524
	Michigan	22	473		Connecticut	38	447
	Utah	2	30		District of Columbia	2	19
	Vermont	1	7		Georgia	239	2,899
Cycling	California	4	38		Illinois	330	2,783
	Michigan	1	24		Kentucky	141	1,801
	Utah	1	17		Louisiana	48	100
Dance	Alaska	0	2		Maine	37	361
	Arkansas	9	17		Michigan	159	1,956
	California	117	560		Mississippi	70	675
	Georgia	21	54		Missouri	117	1,243
	Idaho	4	11		New Hampshire	13	122
	Iowa	28	77		New Mexico	73	1,129
	Illinois	0	41		Oklahoma	120	2,002
	Kentucky	0	21		Rhode Island	37	200
	Massachusetts	0	138		South Dakota	28	326
	Michigan	8	32		Utah	53	880
	Mississippi	10	25		Virginia	46	739
	New Mexico	8	10	Fencing	California	20	159
	Utah	25	109		Michigan	2	3
	Vermont	3	6		New Jersey	59	1,195
Dance Team, High Kick	Minnesota	0	54	Field Hockey	District of Columbia	1	10
Dance Team, Jazz	Michigan	8	32		Massachusetts	0	55
	Minnesota	0	54		New Hampshire	1	6
	Mississippi	1	1		Ohio	0	3
	Vermont	2	4		Vermont	1	18
	Wyoming	33	24	Figure Skating	Michigan	6	6
Dance/Drill	California	95	644		Utah	1	2
	Iowa	14	17	Flag Football	Arkansas	3	36
	Kansas	0	9		California	37	689
	Michigan	4	12		District of Columbia	5	69
	Missouri	211	24		Utah	1	25
	Oregon	14	19		Vermont	1	6
	South Dakota	43	31	Football - 6-player	California	1	17
	Washington	28	20		Colorado	33	448
Decathlon	Alabama	53	120		Kansas	22	270
	Arkansas	26	63		Montana	49	523
	California	19	183		Nebraska	38	999
	Connecticut	177	30		New Mexico	13	180
	Utah	7	74		Oregon	21	351
	Vermont	4	12		Texas	154	3,765
					Wyoming	15	207

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Football - 9-player	Alaska	4	65	Rodeo	Arkansas	4	15
	Maine	1	3		California	3	5
	Minnesota	86	1,862		Utah	30	200
	North Dakota	72	1,005	Roller Hockey	California	11	102
	Oregon	34	979	Rugby	California	39	1,187
	South Dakota	67	2,048		District of Columbia	2	58
	Wyoming	13	343		Massachusetts	27	867
Gymnastics	Arkansas	3	10		Michigan	18	358
	California	5	31		Utah	20	442
	Louisiana	42	24	Sailing	California	22	137
	Maryland	2	10		Maine	7	42
	Massachusetts	0	21		Michigan	15	76
	New Hampshire	1	2		Utah	1	2
	New York	0	24	Skiing – Alpine	California	32	305
	South Dakota	41	12		Colorado	13	172
	Utah	1	1		Maine	50	332
Heptathlon	Arkansas	7	22		Massachusetts	101	1,097
Judo	Hawaii	46	758		Michigan	106	762
Kayaking	California	1	2		Minnesota	159	1,126
	Michigan	1	9		Nevada	16	159
Martial Arts	California	4	34		New Hampshire	52	432
	Michigan	2	5		New York	51	386
	Utah	1	1		Utah	5	53
Mixed 6-Coed Volleyball	Alaska	36	200		Vermont	14	110
Mt. Biking	Arkansas	5	50		Wyoming	6	95
	California	31	359	Skiing – Cross Country	Alaska	24	401
	Maine	4	34		California	4	22
	Michigan	10	121		Colorado	13	111
	Utah	46	1,878		Maine	38	230
	Vermont	3	7		Massachusetts	24	254
Other Sports	Alaska	4	45		Michigan	3	25
	California	17	248		Minnesota	139	1,728
	District of Columbia	6	36		New Hampshire	25	174
	Maine	30	460		New York	20	112
	Maryland	31	284		Utah	2	12
	New Hampshire	5	21		Vermont	15	162
Pickleball	Arkansas	3	15		Wyoming	8	95
	California	3	33	Snowboarding	California	25	277
	Utah	19	238		Maine	1	10
Riflery	Arkansas	17	247		Michigan	14	150
	California	10	106		Utah	2	34
	Georgia	107	590		Vermont	6	50
	Maine	2	9	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	14	149
	Michigan	4	37		Maine	1	19
	Missouri	37	415	Softball – Fast Pitch	California	4	54
	Pennsylvania	56	342		Massachusetts	0	10
	Utah	2	7		South Dakota	0	48
	Vermont	1	2		Vermont	2	18
Rock Climbing	California	8	72	Softball – Slow Pitch	Vermont	1	8
	Michigan	3	35	Squash	California	3	14
	Utah	4	31	Stunt	District of Columbia	2	8
					California	93	448

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Surfing	California	46	922		Maryland	5	58
	Hawaii	8	70		Michigan	6	55
Target Shooting	Michigan	73	820		Ohio	2	24
	Minnesota	348	6,721	Unified Golf	California	1	9
	Missouri	37	415		Michigan	3	12
	Utah	12	164	Unified Soccer	Arizona	9	69
Ultimate Frisbee	California	10	149		California	53	753
	District of Columbia	8	278		Connecticut	121	1,068
	Maine	8	115		Michigan	17	200
	Michigan	4	45		New Hampshire	20	187
	Utah	15	346		Utah	50	586
	Vermont	10	25	Unified Softball	California	5	85
Unified Basketball	Arizona	22	129		Michigan	1	10
	Arkansas	61	946	Unified Strength Training	Michigan	5	349
	California	80	974	Unified Tennis	California	2	3
	Connecticut	200	2,689	Unified Track and Field	Alaska	7	20
	Delaware	13	165		Arizona	16	53
	Idaho	10	22		Arkansas	61	978
	Illinois	32	413		California	56	641
	Maine	75	696		Connecticut	69	1,053
	Massachusetts	144	1,812		Delaware	9	73
	Michigan	92	1,005		Hawaii	5	15
	New Hampshire	52	509		Idaho	13	28
	New Jersey	28	763		Illinois	25	362
	New York	252	2,953		Indiana	102	1,533
	Ohio	5	47		Maine	2	2
	Rhode Island	35	416		Massachusetts	115	1,225
	Texas	22	261		Michigan	6	41
	Utah	36	436		Montana	21	67
Unified Bass Fishing	Illinois	1	4		Nebraska	66	456
Unified Bocce	Maine	18	104		New Hampshire	18	144
	Pennsylvania	310	1,440		New Jersey	35	615
Unified Bowling	Arkansas	39	486		Ohio	3	22
	California	9	129		Pennsylvania	124	1,237
	Colorado	67	415		Tennessee	19	145
	Connecticut	50	726		Texas	47	385
	Kansas	47	381		Utah	47	519
	Kentucky	41	166		Wyoming	6	24
	Maine	1	3	Unified Volleyball	California	7	91
	Michigan	12	122		Connecticut	4	48
	Nebraska	57	948		Maine	6	60
	New Jersey	22	365		Michigan	4	17
	New York	220	2,352		New Hampshire	5	37
	Tennessee	20	117		Rhode Island	24	248
Unified Cheer	California	7	21	Volleyball - Beach	California	40	967
	Maine	1	1				
	Michigan	1	2				
Unified Corn Toss	Connecticut	101	1,384				
Unified Flag Football	Arizona	9	47				
	California	17	279				
	Connecticut	15	201				
	Delaware	9	125				
	Indiana	44	639				

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Water Polo	California	602	14,641	Weightlifting	Arkansas	31	695
	Florida	68	1,005		California	14	297
	Hawaii	7	167		Florida	343	6,518
	Illinois	131	1,802		Georgia	29	1,391
	Michigan	35	467		Louisiana	241	2,928
	Missouri	25	371		Maine	3	43
	Pennsylvania	22	409		Michigan	111	2,646
	Texas	155	2,795		Mississippi	202	2,652
	Utah	8	99		New Mexico	89	1,554
					Utah	10	322
					Vermont	1	8

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	BASKETBALL		BOWLING		COMPETITIVE SPIRIT		CROSS COUNTRY	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	416	5,210	118	244			279	2,165
Alaska	160	1,425	8	26			94	763
Arizona	275	6,060			235	6,348	244	2,448
Arkansas	298	4,957	90	763	139	2,984	205	2,011
California	1,361	28,544	3	17	527	14,096	1,306	19,135
Colorado	346	6,527			248	6,909	270	3,409
Connecticut	178	2,998			100	900	170	2,091
Delaware	54	820					51	659
Dist. of Columbia	37	542	11	51	25	562	31	369
Florida	735	11,564	260	1,488	345	6,264	679	6,636
Georgia	426	7,661			224	5,031	406	5,551
Hawaii	66	1,178	48	369	45	706	68	842
Idaho	155	3,027			93	1,820	130	1,470
Illinois	793	13,859	408	2,898	602	6,620	728	7,946
Indiana	394	7,017					366	4,199
Iowa	340	5,856	118	1,200			336	4,025
Kansas	337	5,788	91	856	332	4,674	295	2,455
Kentucky	277	5,081	129	902	248	5,181	250	2,473
Louisiana	391	5,486	96	463				
Maine	141	2,672			71	865	106	903
Maryland	193	3,872	4	26	150	4,938	184	2,411
Massachusetts	362	8,054					329	4,597
Michigan	689	13,068	380	2,710	335	6,319	626	6,830
Minnesota	469	9,547					461	4,808
Mississippi	231	8,481	58	502	85	2,125	198	2,484
Missouri	568	8,321	8	17			458	4,113
Montana	164	2,655					117	953
Nebraska	305	4,878	73	620			264	2,120
Nevada	109	2,148	40	304			86	747
New Hampshire	89	1,659	16	71	52	1,054	73	749
New Jersey	422	8,828	195	1,915			394	5,226
New Mexico	154	3,335	21	82	82	1,912	116	1,285
New York	703	13,324	360	2,194	375	7,233	578	4,956
North Carolina	433	7,352			424	10,208	395	4,732
North Dakota	160	1,992					123	724
Ohio	800	13,078	506	4,214	660	24,397	758	7,855
Oklahoma	471	6,625			369	6,441	369	3,127
Oregon	279	5,293			142	2,972	221	2,656
Pennsylvania	703	17,575	169	1,690	342	6,840	600	12,000
Rhode Island	52	1,135			20	560	46	556
South Carolina	222	4,526			98	3,739	189	2,826
South Dakota	154	2,487			40	662	152	712
Tennessee	391	5,739	119	934			340	3,000
Texas	1,373	44,953			1,489	52,318	1,381	25,393
Utah	139	3,004			107	2,819	133	2,332
Vermont	30	563	3	16			32	241
Virginia	316	6,859			209	4,143	304	4,150
Washington	376	8,033	111	1,652	106	1,987	323	4,546
West Virginia	120	1,946			113	2,056	93	789
Wisconsin	481	9,254					432	4,813
Wyoming	70	1,384			33	579	47	452

State	FIELD HOCKEY		FOOTBALL 11-PLAYER		GOLF		GYMNASTICS	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama					269	1,319		
Alaska				30			7	42
Arizona				60	128	1,155		
Arkansas			4	89	212	1,026	4	46
California	106	3,677	132	200	938	9,130	45	490
Colorado	16	633		138	184	2,025	29	583
Connecticut	78	2,457		37	62	695	53	367
Delaware	50	1,275		4		100		
Dist. of Columbia	6	191			3	18		
Florida				186	555	2,705		
Georgia					344	2,118	77	665
Hawaii			18	37	53	285		
Idaho			12	18	108	763		
Illinois				122	626	4,028	182	1,317
Indiana			48	94	326	2,745	75	484
Iowa			26	77	320	3,149		
Kansas				16	145	1,544	12	62
Kentucky	23	691		41	213	1,262		
Louisiana			5	5	226	386	76	210
Maine	84	1,809	11	12	58	134		
Maryland	120	3,338	15	19	130	399	7	119
Massachusetts	225	6,287		40	45	719	129	1,199
Michigan	41	1,015		79	390	4,053	86	497
Minnesota				54	389	4,032	211	1,856
Mississippi			8	17	127	635		
Missouri	33	1,033	327	53	258	2,492		
Montana			68	28	110	587		
Nebraska				17	160	1,462		
Nevada				37	69	405		
New Hampshire	53	1,356	15	23	29	49	33	222
New Jersey	227	6,957		81	131	2,464	65	820
New Mexico			18	44	79	497		
New York	211	5,372		119	300	2,318	103	933
North Carolina					297	1,814		
North Dakota				9	130	769	26	80
Ohio	38	1,200		59	653	4,865	177	1,027
Oklahoma				14	227	1,650		
Oregon					158	1,227		
Pennsylvania	262	7,860			249	1,743	27	270
Rhode Island	24	531		15	37	154	20	236
South Carolina					126	1,103		
South Dakota			58	10	101	763	41	217
Tennessee				27	281	1,086		
Texas			1,101	2,536	1,263	10,286		
Utah					119	1,532	8	31
Vermont	16	325	5	6	16	42	8	32
Virginia	155	4,757	36	44	195	570	85	991
Washington			120	323	53	489	93	1,108
West Virginia								
Wisconsin					183	2,324	83	1,092
Wyoming			39	17	41	269		

State	ICE HOCKEY		LACROSSE		SOCCER		SOFTBALL FAST PITCH	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama					198	7,313	400	11,474
Alaska		68			25	683	26	450
Arizona					211	7,112	262	6,138
Arkansas			4	64	118	2,983	251	4,496
California	8	33	301	9,956	1,356	47,918	1,200	29,672
Colorado			53	1,535	235	8,054	170	3,621
Connecticut	91	462	97	3,003	159	4,576	173	3,009
Delaware			35	966	53	1,590	47	899
Dist. of Columbia	2	71	8	243	23	565	22	368
Florida			228	5,858	643	16,999	601	11,068
Georgia			112	3,280	393	10,325	391	7,404
Hawaii					62	1,480	55	1,106
Idaho					80	2,252	111	2,083
Illinois			139	4,042	521	15,199	749	11,720
Indiana					282	7,577	369	7,234
Iowa					168	5,517	332	7,244
Kansas					102	3,758	250	4,757
Kentucky			37	1,101	212	6,061	261	5,302
Louisiana					187	4,260	366	6,087
Maine	59	363	71	1,687	133	3,461	116	2,235
Maryland	3	8	150	4,813	180	5,422	185	4,173
Massachusetts	212	2,237	274	7,261	355	11,435	349	7,708
Michigan	38	368	134	3,209	470	11,958	616	11,368
Minnesota	255	3,364	137	3,668	269	8,587	435	9,806
Mississippi					145	4,620	225	6,412
Missouri			38	1,342	254	7,819	500	8,468
Montana					38	900	67	1,162
Nebraska					95	2,524	150	2,582
Nevada					74	2,368	96	1,919
New Hampshire	41	332	54	1,441	87	2,305	81	1,482
New Jersey	18	469	229	8,330	379	13,109	396	9,837
New Mexico					76	1,970	99	2,409
New York	65	478	347	9,793	654	17,614	679	13,238
North Carolina			103	2,681	399	10,376	402	7,009
North Dakota	34	293			32	783	111	1,311
Ohio		27	161	4,984	590	15,037	768	14,754
Oklahoma					134	4,155	407	6,808
Oregon					191	5,768	220	4,202
Pennsylvania			231	8,085	530	18,550	624	19,968
Rhode Island	32	161	35	1,070	52	1,499	52	1,049
South Carolina			53	1,815	173	5,516	204	4,796
South Dakota					28	708	63	1,020
Tennessee			56	1,509	299	7,300	353	5,948
Texas					750	40,252	1,181	36,875
Utah	5	10	68	2,113	110	3,955	112	2,311
Vermont	14	119	15	359	36	792	25	461
Virginia			118	3,916	290	8,922	302	6,743
Washington					300	10,186	317	6,985
West Virginia					68	1,721	110	2,108
Wisconsin	27	726	36	1,168	270	8,305	429	8,613
Wyoming					27	909	16	423

State	SWIMMING AND DIVING		TENNIS		TRACK AND FIELD INDOOR		TRACK AND FIELD OUTDOOR	
	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	125	965	188	2,809	184	3,998	383	10,207
Alaska	32	323	18	250			49	967
Arizona	165	2,488	190	2,921			260	7,514
Arkansas	59	507	142	1,619	68	1,184	272	4,913
California	917	20,934	1,009	22,865			1,284	45,652
Colorado	116	3,739	1,542	4,931			319	8,036
Connecticut	86	1,522	142	2,896	165	4,367	175	6,202
Delaware	42	668	37	535		951	52	1,317
Dist. of Columbia	14	167	21	221	25	380	40	669
Florida	480	6,252	539	5,578			698	16,885
Georgia	264	3,898	387	5,200			430	12,860
Hawaii	63	688	60	969			71	1,719
Idaho	52	661	62	1,411			150	4,101
Illinois	494	5,143	398	8,577			769	20,268
Indiana	252	3,613	311	6,819			397	11,664
Iowa	54	1,422	119	3,483			351	9,574
Kansas	106	1,768	140	3,305			345	8,285
Kentucky	161	1,838	228	3,082	140	1,082	269	5,815
Louisiana	164	1,206	169	2,099	305	1,735	386	8,097
Maine	54	450	72	1,002	80	1,479	110	2,587
Maryland	110	1,993	178	2,512	195	4,932	195	6,324
Massachusetts	247	3,109	272	4,683	287	8,709	332	13,011
Michigan	276	4,690	328	9,515	53	441	677	18,108
Minnesota	218	4,628	236	6,505			497	16,155
Mississippi	62	732	165	1,784	18	350	228	6,247
Missouri	147	2,683	192	5,133			550	13,734
Montana	26	337	60	1,042			162	2,875
Nebraska	75	842	79	1,871			304	7,295
Nevada	65	899	60	887			107	2,884
New Hampshire	50	411	53	992	61	1,027	78	1,974
New Jersey	205	5,236	322	7,191	353	10,859	393	17,290
New Mexico	49	635	59	807			148	3,509
New York	348	4,589	423	7,860	450	9,435	641	16,821
North Carolina	307	4,535	336	4,622	318	6,663	415	11,609
North Dakota	29	423	26	659			150	2,727
Ohio	450	5,666	409	7,472			797	23,812
Oklahoma	62	794	109	1,850			398	6,898
Oregon	131	2,150	131	3,543			274	8,149
Pennsylvania	332	9,960	356	4,272	210	3,150	613	24,520
Rhode Island	35	450	42	949	45	1,352	50	1,800
South Carolina	115	1,597	150	2,402			211	8,094
South Dakota			25	358			159	3,307
Tennessee			277	3,470			328	6,790
Texas	575	9,323	1,180	21,869			1,383	56,698
Utah	100	1,957	104	2,581	20	449	132	5,695
Vermont			3	20	15	126	26	410
Virginia	244	4,146	279	3,730	278	7,883	313	9,529
Washington	187	4,282	256	8,505			362	12,897
West Virginia	49	480	70	853			110	2,634
Wisconsin	138	3,035	205	5,777			459	13,061
Wyoming	25	469	16	435	34	806	71	1,619

VOLLEYBALL			WRESTLING	
State	Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
Alabama	411	17,191	106	916
Alaska	71	1,508	73	621
Arizona	278	9,175	202	1,677
Arkansas	187	4,441	59	683
California	1,479	46,716	833	8,831
Colorado	349	10,870	127	1,326
Connecticut	170	4,592		357
Delaware	54	1,600		86
Dist. of Columbia	4	773	4	24
Florida	723	19,472	348	2,130
Georgia	376	9,736	282	2,095
Hawaii	75	2,100	56	616
Idaho	162	4,154	95	848
Illinois	792	22,291	479	2,678
Indiana	401	9,742	241	2,224
Iowa	354	11,387	218	2,990
Kansas	339	8,673	220	2,706
Kentucky	279	7,302	138	620
Louisiana	269	5,845	12	15
Maine	58	1,470	37	158
Maryland	195	5,571	155	1,076
Massachusetts	325	10,843		353
Michigan	731	19,679	379	1,505
Minnesota	467	15,506		1,376
Mississippi	226	8,696	20	61
Missouri	473	11,043	244	2,987
Montana	164	3,478	103	670
Nebraska	304	6,799	227	2,098
Nevada	118	3,303	73	510
New Hampshire	62	1,857	33	96
New Jersey	335	12,212	17	2,229
New Mexico	153	4,059	68	763
New York	636	14,591	157	1,442
North Carolina	436	10,499	284	1,917
North Dakota	158	3,472	102	506
Ohio	801	20,237	507	2,535
Oklahoma	145	3,927	153	1,519
Oregon	288	7,947	187	1,809
Pennsylvania	625	12,500	251	2,510
Rhode Island	48	1,756	26	101
South Carolina	222	5,784	29	344
South Dakota	174	3,727	73	476
Tennessee	375	7,903	146	1,061
Texas	1,222	53,013	403	7,147
Utah	138	3,916	107	1,558
Vermont	12	214	6	13
Virginia	312	8,545	206	913
Washington	384	12,224	286	3,457
West Virginia	117	2,521		
Wisconsin	482	16,150	279	916
Wyoming	68	1,789	49	515

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	California	8	66	Air Riflery	Michigan	1	1
	Georgia	11	68		Utah	1	10
	Maine	5	36		Alaska	13	92
	Maryland	9	50		Georgia	107	490
	Michigan	5	39		Hawaii	50	425
	Utah	7	49		Michigan	3	12
	Vermont	9	57		New York	15	91
Adapted Bocce	Maryland	134	1044	Archery	Utah	2	27
Adapted Bowling	California	1	16		Arkansas	67	661
	Kentucky	3	4		California	14	142
	Maine	1	4		Kentucky	180	3,062
	Maryland	53	452		Michigan	19	215
	Minnesota	182	233		Missouri	37	319
	Vermont	1	7		Mississippi	135	2,216
Adapted Corn Toss	Maryland	21	89		Utah	3	26
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	112	162	Badminton	Arizona	73	1,401
Adapted Football	California	2	12		California	238	5,474
	Georgia	9	28		Illinois	142	4,263
Adapted Golf	Maryland	5	13		Maryland	35	521
Adapted Handball	Georgia	5	14		Minnesota	36	1,076
	Utah	1	9		New York	55	1,303
Adapted Soccer	California	5	32		Utah	1	3
	Maryland	25	92	Baseball	Alaska	0	13
	Michigan	1	4		Arizona	0	21
	Minnesota	109	144		Arkansas	11	179
	Utah	2	13		California	79	243
	Vermont	2	6		Connecticut	0	13
Adapted Softball	California	1	15		Delaware	0	4
	Maryland	42	201		Florida	0	28
	Minnesota	104	140		Hawaii	4	4
Adapted Strength Training	Maryland	9	113		Illinois	0	198
	Michigan	3	19		Indiana	12	56
Adapted Swimming	Oregon	5	6		Iowa	2	14
	Pennsylvania	10	5		Kansas	0	10
	Utah	1	1		Kentucky	0	14
Adapted Tennis	Maine	1	11		Maine	5	32
	Maryland	44	355		Maryland	6	13
	Michigan	1	4		Massachusetts	0	51
Adapted Track and Field	Alaska	1	1		Michigan	0	13
	California	12	74		Minnesota	0	5
	Florida	8	9		Nebraska	0	5
	Georgia	9	31		Nevada	0	14
	Kentucky	7	8		New Hampshire	5	42
	Maine	2	10		New Jersey	0	33
	Maryland	38	287		New Mexico	10	17
	Michigan	3	3		New York	0	29
	Missouri	2	2		North Dakota	0	1
	Oregon	2	2		Ohio	0	4
	Pennsylvania	5	4		Oklahoma	0	22
	Texas	10	10		Rhode Island	0	6
	Utah	2	9		Texas	1,206	266
Adapted Volleyball	California	1	15		Vermont	1	30
	Maine	2	55		Virginia	1	1

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Bass Fishing	Arkansas	18	54	Decathlon	Vermont	1	15
	Georgia	50	115		Washington	78	1,208
	Illinois	0	106		Arkansas	17	46
	Kentucky	64	117		California	18	176
	Louisiana	12	15	Drill Team	Vermont	4	14
	Michigan	12	36		California	75	1,671
	Missouri	20	2		Maine	1	10
	New Hampshire	15	25		South Dakota	0	103
Bocce - Outdoor	Vermont	9	9	Equestrian	Utah	90	2,179
	Maine	3	6		California	30	134
Canoe Paddling	Utah	1	33		Michigan	122	499
	Hawaii	65	1,289	Esports	Utah	4	16
Crew/Rowing	Maine	1	2		Alabama	18	26
	California	13	325		Alaska	10	10
	District of Columbia	8	281		Arizona	101	149
	Maine	1	24		Arkansas	99	374
	Michigan	20	398		California	165	777
	Utah	2	27		Colorado	0	266
Cycling	Vermont	1	8		District of Columbia	2	50
	California	3	9		Georgia	167	564
	Michigan	1	24		Kentucky	96	271
Dance	Utah	1	2		Louisiana	10	10
	Alaska	2	42		Maine	24	71
	Arkansas	51	975		Michigan	95	343
	California	293	8145		Mississippi	70	93
	Colorado	239	1421		Missouri	117	185
	Connecticut	50	600		New Hampshire	8	19
	Georgia	135	1929		New Mexico	63	313
	Idaho	47	768		Oklahoma	120	859
	Illinois	410	4059		Rhode Island	0	22
	Iowa	216	2917		South Dakota	28	82
	Kentucky	106	1380		Utah	47	207
	Massachusetts	0	1492		Virginia	35	98
	Michigan	47	721	Fencing	California	21	159
	Mississippi	102	2040		Michigan	1	5
	Missouri	211	2552		New Jersey	55	1,020
	New Mexico	37	458		Utah	1	1
	Utah	63	1466	Figure Skating	California	1	1
	Vermont	7	134		Michigan	59	328
					Utah	5	25
Dance Team, High Kick	Minnesota	209	3,774				
	Mississippi	10	200				
Dance Team, Jazz	Michigan	47	721				
	Minnesota	209	3,549				
	Mississippi	5	100				
	Vermont	3	74				
	Wyoming	33	157				
Dance/Drill	California	95	1,935				
	Iowa	39	395				
	Kansas	168	2,009				
	Michigan	50	651				
	Missouri	211	2,552				
	Oregon	65	1,008				
	South Dakota	43	165				

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Flag Football	Alabama	112	1,596	Mt. Biking	Arkansas	5	23
	Alaska	14	416		California	28	127
	Arizona	101	3,003		Maine	4	10
	Arkansas	2	18		Michigan	8	60
	California	697	19,921		Utah	46	1,135
	Colorado	71	1,972		Vermont	2	2
	District of Columbia	15	235	Other Sports	Alaska	4	22
	Florida	449	10,924		California	15	144
	Georgia	261	7,084		District of Columbia	5	40
	Hawaii	60	1,021		Maine	30	456
	Illinois	199	4,022		Maryland	28	154
	Maryland	52	1,266		New Hampshire	4	9
	Michigan	43	946	Pickleball	Arkansas	3	15
	Mississippi	12	300		California	2	16
	Nevada	45	1,866		Utah	18	152
	New Jersey	165	4,184	Riflery	Arkansas	15	83
	New York	214	5,048		California	8	42
	North Carolina	100	2,200		Georgia	107	490
	Tennessee	120	2,786		Maine	1	5
	Utah	4	39		Michigan	3	12
Football - 6-player	California	1	12		Missouri	37	319
	Colorado	0	1		Pennsylvania	41	289
	Montana	49	8		Vermont	1	3
	Nebraska	0	2	Rock Climbing	California	8	43
	Texas	154	18		Michigan	3	19
	Wyoming	15	2		Utah	3	15
Football - 8-player	Arizona	0	5	Rodeo	Arkansas	6	14
	California	8	10		California	5	11
	Idaho	2	2		Utah	32	205
	Iowa	6	6	Roller Hockey	California	9	54
	Maine	2	3	Rugby	California	18	347
	Michigan	0	12		District of Columbia	1	20
	Missouri	68	6		Massachusetts	11	248
	Montana	43	2		Michigan	8	140
	Nebraska	0	6		Utah	17	150
	Nevada	0	3	Sailing	California	19	83
	New Mexico	1	1		Maine	8	41
	Oklahoma	0	5		Michigan	12	63
					Utah	1	3
Football - 9-player	Alaska	0	6	Skiing – Alpine	California	32	266
	Minnesota	0	4		Colorado	13	163
	North Dakota	0	4		Maine	49	305
	South Dakota	67	9		Massachusetts	100	952
	Wyoming	13	5		Michigan	111	727
Heptathlon	Alabama	43	56		Minnesota	161	931
	Arkansas	18	42		Nevada	19	174
	Connecticut	175	30		New Hampshire	49	394
Judo	Hawaii	43	530		New York	53	277
Kayaking	California	1	5		Utah	2	12
Martial Arts	California	2	7		Vermont	14	111
	Michigan	2	4		Wyoming	6	70
	Utah	1	1				
Mixed 6-Coed Volleyball	Alaska	36	231				

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Skiing – Cross Country	Alaska	24	330		New Hampshire	49	533
	California	3	16		New Jersey	28	428
	Colorado	13	123		New York	0	2,043
	Maine	35	203		Ohio	4	31
	Massachusetts	23	251		Rhode Island	35	278
	Michigan	2	26		Texas	22	31
	Minnesota	138	1,667		Utah	36	256
	New Hampshire	23	154	Unified Bocce	Maine	17	86
	New York	19	137		Pennsylvania	310	1,441
	Utah	2	20	Unified Bowling	Arkansas	33	198
	Vermont	15	161		California	9	90
	Wyoming	8	94		Colorado	0	307
Snowboarding	California	22	169		Connecticut	50	725
	Maine	1	5		Kansas	47	287
	Michigan	13	76		Kentucky	26	85
	Utah	2	16		Maine	1	3
	Vermont	4	9		Michigan	12	109
Soft Tennis	Hawaii	15	171		Nebraska	57	838
	Maine	1	12		New Jersey	22	219
Softball – Slow Pitch	California	1	12		New York	0	2,008
	Georgia	29	458		Tennessee	20	82
	Maine	4	79	Unified Cheer	California	15	174
	Oklahoma	275	4,050		Maine	2	24
	Vermont	3	30		Michigan	6	66
	Washington	56	1,138	Unified Corn Toss	Connecticut	101	1,383
Squash	California	3	12	Unified Cross Country	Michigan	2	8
	District of Columbia	2	28	Unified Flag Football	Arizona	7	7
Stunt	California	341	8,499		California	16	214
	Missouri	11	217		Connecticut	15	201
Surfing	California	44	398		Delaware	0	34
	Hawaii	6	38		Indiana	43	412
Synchronized Swimming	Michigan	5	45		Maryland	5	38
	Minnesota	25	285		Michigan	6	22
Target Shooting	Michigan	51	275		Ohio	2	17
	Minnesota	348	1,737	Unified Golf	California	1	2
	Missouri	37	319		Michigan	2	2
	Utah	12	175	Unified Soccer	Arizona	9	10
Ultimate Frisbee	California	6	45		California	53	598
	District of Columbia	8	194		Connecticut	121	1,067
	Maine	8	47		Michigan	18	166
	Michigan	2	6		New Hampshire	20	231
	Utah	13	197		Utah	49	425
	Vermont	10	20	Unified Softball	California	5	44
Unified Basketball	Arizona	22	30		Michigan	2	14
	Arkansas	50	576	Unified Strength Training	Michigan	4	150
	California	81	698				
	Connecticut	200	2,688				
	Delaware	0	14				
	Idaho	9	20				
	Illinois	0	107				
	Maine	75	484				
	Massachusetts	144	1,283				
	Michigan	83	713				

Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.	Sport	State	Sch.	Particip.
Unified Track and Field	Alaska	6	22		Michigan	3	26
	Arizona	16	33		New Hampshire	7	81
	Arkansas	53	695		Rhode Island	24	175
	California	45	515	Volleyball - Beach	Arizona	91	1,637
	Connecticut	69	1,052		California	256	5,662
	Delaware	0	49		Florida	284	4,215
	Hawaii	5	12	Water Polo	California	598	11,968
	Idaho	11	25		Florida	68	761
	Illinois	0	192		Hawaii	38	541
	Indiana	102	1,810		Illinois	124	1,350
	Maine	1	1		Michigan	43	488
	Massachusetts	115	1,304		Missouri	18	135
	Michigan	6	25		Pennsylvania	21	317
	Montana	21	60		Texas	150	2,408
	Nebraska	66	421		Utah	7	55
	New Hampshire	16	156	Weightlifting	Arkansas	6	148
	New Jersey	35	501		California	14	136
	Ohio	2	15		Florida	367	7,332
	Pennsylvania	124	1,236		Georgia	18	446
	Tennessee	19	104		Louisiana	223	1,883
	Texas	47	624		Maine	3	14
	Utah	43	371		Michigan	101	1,278
	Wyoming	6	27		Mississippi	176	1,962
Unified Volleyball	California	6	72		New Mexico	84	978
	Connecticut	4	48		Utah	8	124
	Maine	6	54				

NFHS SPORTS SEASON SURVEY

This survey of NFHS member associations is done every other year. This survey represents dates of seasons and championships from the 2023-24 year. Although actual dates are in the past, the same periods of time are usually consistent from year to year.

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State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	2/15-4/18	4/22-5/17	28			
Alaska	3/4-6/1	5/30-6/1	24			
Arizona	2/1-5/14	4/27-5/14	20			
Arkansas	2/26-5/18	5/16-18	30			
California	2/1-5/25	5/28-6/1	28			
Colorado	3/9-5/27	5/31-6/1	23			
Connecticut	3/16-6/8	6/7-8	20			
Delaware	2/26-6/1	5/23-6/1	18			
Dist. of Columbia	2/12-5/19	5/13-19	25			
Florida	1/22-5/23	5/15-23	25			
Georgia	1/15-4/20	4/23-5/20	30			
Hawaii	2/5-5/18	5/13-18	29			
Idaho						
Illinois	2/26-6/8	5/31-6/8	35			
Indiana	3/11-6/15	6/1-15	28			
Iowa	5/13-7/11	7/22-26	40			
Kansas	2/26-5/11	5/13-24	20			
Kentucky	3/11-5/19	5/20-6/15	36			
Louisiana	1/22-5/7	4/17-5/7	34			
Maine	3/18-5/29	6/4-15	16			
Maryland	3/1-5/8	5/9-25	18			
Massachusetts	3/18-5/27	6/14-15	20			
Michigan	3/11-6/15	5/23-6/15	38			
Minnesota	3/18-6/13	6/13-17	20			
Mississippi	1/13-4/20	5/21-25	28			
Missouri	2/26-6/1	5/27-6/1	36			
Montana	3/4-5/11	5/16-18	22			
Nebraska	3/14-5/1	5/10-17	24			
Nevada	2/17-5/4	5/6-18	27			
New Hampshire	3/18-6/8	5/30-6/8	20			
New Jersey	4/1-6/9	5/20-6/9	24			
New Mexico	2/5-5/18	5/8-18	26			
New York	3/11-6/8	6/7-8	20			
North Carolina	2/14-6/1	5/7-6/1	24			
North Dakota	3/18-6/1	5/30-6/1	36			
Ohio	3/23-6/15	6/6-8	27			
Oklahoma	3/1-5/11	5/2-11	37			
Oregon	2/12-5/18	5/20-6/1	26			
Pennsylvania	3/4-6/1	6/3-14	20			
Rhode Island	3/18-5/21	5/24-6/9	22			
South Carolina	3/4-4/27	5/18-25	26			
South Dakota						
Tennessee	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	30			
Texas	1/19-4/30	6/5-8	26			
Utah	3/4-4/30	5/3-25	25			
Vermont	3/25-6/15	6/7-15	16			
Virginia	2/19-6/8	6/1-8	20			
Washington	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	20			
West Virginia	2/26-6/1	5/6-6/1	32			
Wisconsin	3/18-6/13	5/23-6/13	26			
Wyoming						

BASKETBALL**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	11/2-2/3	2/5-3/2	30	11/2-2/3	2/5-3/2	30
Alaska	11/29-3/23	3/13-23	22	11/29-3/23	3/13-23	22
Arizona	11/15-3/2	2/7-3/2	20	11/15-3/2	2/6-3/2	20
Arkansas	10/16-3/9	3/7-9	36	10/16-3/9	3/7-9	36
California	11/1-2/24	2/27-3/9	28	11/1-2/24	2/27-3/9	28
Colorado	11/28-2/17	3/7-9	23	11/27-2/17	3/7-9	23
Connecticut	11/30-3/17	2/28-3/17	20	11/27-3/17	2/28-3/17	20
Delaware	11/6-3/9	2/27-3/9	20	11/6-3/9	2/28-3/9	20
Dist. of Columbia	11/23-3/3	2/27-3/3	26	11/23-3/3	2/26-3/3	26
Florida	10/3-3/9	2/27-3/9	25	10/30-3/9	2/27-3/9	25
Georgia	10/21-3/8	2/18-3/8	25	10/23-2/17	2/20-3/9	25
Hawaii	11/13-2/17	2/12-17	26	11/6-2/10	2/5-10	33
Idaho	11/10-3/2	2/29-3/2	21	10/30-2/17	2/15-17	21
Illinois	11/6-3/16	3/7-9	31	10/30-3/16	2/29-3/2	31
Indiana	11/6-3/30	3/9-30	22	10/16-2/24	2/10-24	22
Iowa	11/27-2/17	3/4-8	21	11/6-2/21	2/26-3/2	21
Kansas	11/13-2/24	2/26-3/9	20	11/13-2/24	2/26-3/9	20
Kentucky	11/27-2/25	2/26-3/23	30	11/27-2/25	2/26-3/16	30
Louisiana	9/4-3/9	3/4-9	34	9/4-3/2	2/26-3/2	34
Maine	11/20-2/8	2/13-3/2	18	11/20-2/8	2/13-3/2	18
Maryland	11/15-2/24	2/27-3/16	20	11/15-2/24	2/27-3/16	20
Massachusetts	11/27-2/22	3/15-17	20	11/27-2/22	3/15-17	20
Michigan	11/13-3/16	2/26-3/16	22	11/20-3/23	3/4-23	22
Minnesota	11/20-3/20	3/20-23	26	11/13-3/13	3/13-16	26
Mississippi	10/16-2/3	2/26-3/2	28	10/16-2/3	2/26-3/2	28
Missouri	10/30-3/16	3/6-16	26	10/30-3/16	3/6-16	26
Montana	11/16-3/9	3/7-9	18	11/16-3/9	3/7-9	18
Nebraska	11/30-2/17	3/6-9	22	11/30-2/10	2/28-3/2	22
Nevada	11/11-2/10	2/12-24	27	11/11-2/10	2/12-24	27
New Hampshire	11/27-3/10	2/28-3/10	18	11/27-3/9	2/27-3/9	18
New Jersey	12/14-3/10	2/21-3/10	24	12/14-3/10	2/21-3/10	24
New Mexico	11/20-3/16	3/8-16	26	11/20-3/16	3/8-16	26
New York	11/13-3/17	3/14-17	20	11/13-3/17	3/14-17	20
North Carolina	10/30-3/16	2/27-3/16	24	10/30-3/17	2/27-3/17	25
North Dakota	11/27-3/16	3/14-16	21	11/13-3/2	2/29-3/2	21
Ohio	12/1-3/24	3/22-24	22	11/22-3/16	3/14-16	22
Oklahoma	11/1-3/9	2/28-3/9	22	11/1-3/9	2/28-3/9	22
Oregon	11/13-2/24	2/27-3/9	24	11/13-2/24	2/27-3/9	24
Pennsylvania	11/17-2/24	3/8-23	22	11/17-2/24	3/8-23	22
Rhode Island	11/27-2/16	2/19-3/17	22	11/27-2/16	2/19-3/17	22
South Carolina	11/27-2/10	3/1-2	26	11/27-2/10	3/1-2	26
South Dakota	11/27-3/16	3/14-16	20	11/20-3/9	3/7-9	20
Tennessee	11/20-3/16	3/12-16	24	11/20-3/9	3/5-9	24
Texas	10/25-2/17	3/7-9	27	10/18-2/10	2/29-3/2	27
Utah	11/14-2/16	2/21-3/2	23	11/14-2/16	2/21-3/2	23
Vermont	11/27-3/4	2/23-3/4	20	11/27-3/9	3/1-9	20
Virginia	11/6-3/9	2/24-3/9	22	11/6-3/9	2/24-3/9	22
Washington	11/13-3/2	2/23-3/2	20	11/13-3/2	2/23-3/2	20
West Virginia	11/13-3/16	2/23-3/16	22	11/6-3/9	2/16-3/9	22
Wisconsin	11/13-3/16	2/27-3/16	24	11/6-3/9	2/20-3/9	24
Wyoming	11/20-3/9	3/7-9	18	11/20-3/9	3/7-9	18

CROSS COUNTRY**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	8/7-11/1	11/4-11	10	8/7-11/1	11/4-11	10
Alaska	7/26-10/7	10/7	9	7/26-10/7	10/7	9
Arizona	8/28-11/4	11/4	12	8/29-11/4	11/4	12
Arkansas	8/28-11/3	11/2-3	12	8/28-11/3	11/2-3	12
California	8/1-11/18	11/25	14	8/1-11/18	11/25	14
Colorado	8/17-10/21	10/28	11	8/17-10/21	10/28	11
Connecticut	8/19-11/6	10/28-11/6	14	8/19-11/6	10/28-11/6	14
Delaware	8/14-11/11	11/11	15	8/14-11/11	11/11	15
Dist. of Columbia	8/1-11/4	11/4		8/1-11/4	11/4	
Florida	7/31-11/17	11/17	13	7/31-11/17	11/17	13
Georgia	7/31-10/28	11/3-4	10	7/31-10/28	11/3-4	10
Hawaii	8/7-11/4	11/4		8/7-11/4	11/4	
Idaho	8/7-10/28	10/28	2	8/7-10/28	10/28	2
Illinois	8/7-11/4	11/4	15	8/7-11/4	11/4	15
Indiana	7/31-10/28	10/14-28	14	7/31-10/28	10/14-28	14
Iowa	8/21-10/17	10/27-28	12	8/7-10/17	10/18-28	10
Kansas	8/14-10/20	10/21-28	7	8/14-10/20	10/21-28	7
Kentucky	8/14-10/19	10/20-28	13	8/14-10/19	10/20-28	13
Louisiana	8/7-11/13	11/13		8/7-11/13	11/13	
Maine	8/14-10/14	10/21-28	9	8/14-10/14	10/21-28	9
Maryland	8/9-10/22	11/2-11	10	8/9-10/22	11/2-11	10
Massachusetts	8/21-11/6	2/14-24	16	8/21-11/6	2/14-24	16
Michigan	8/7-11/4	10/27-11/4	15	8/7-11/4	10/27-11/4	15
Minnesota	8/14-11/4	11/4	10	8/14-11/4	11/4	10
Mississippi	7/24-10/31	11/2-4	13	7/24-11/2	11/2-4	13
Missouri	8/7-11/4	11/3-4	10	8/7-11/4	11/3-4	10
Montana	8/11-10/21	10/21	10	8/11-10/21	10/21	10
Nebraska	8/24-10/11	10/20	10	8/24-10/11	10/20	10
Nevada	8/12-10/21	10/27-11/4	14	8/12-10/21	10/27-11/4	14
New Hampshire	8/14-10/28	10/28	10	8/14-10/29	10/29	10
New Jersey	9/7-11/12	10/28-11/12	14	9/7-11/12	10/28-11/2	14
New Mexico	8/14-11/11	11/11	8	8/13-11/11	11/11	8
New York	8/21-11/11	11/11	16	8/21-11/11	11/11	16
North Carolina	7/31-11/4	10/28-11/4		7/31-11/5	10/28-11/5	
North Dakota	8/14-10/28	10/28		8/14-10/28	10/28	
Ohio	8/21-11/4	11/4	16	8/21-11/4	11/4	16
Oklahoma	8/7-10/28	10/21	8	8/7-10/21	10/21	8
Oregon	8/14-10/28	11/4	12	8/14-10/28	11/4	12
Pennsylvania	8/14-10/28	11/4	16	8/14-10/28	10/28-11/4	16
Rhode Island	8/21-10/20	10/28-11/4	14	8/21-10/20	10/28-11/4	14
South Carolina	8/21-10/28	11/10-11	16	8/21-10/28	11/10-11	16
South Dakota	8/10-10/21	10/21	8	8/10-10/21	10/21	8
Tennessee	8/14-11/3	11/2-3	11	8/14-11/3	11/2-3	11
Texas	Year-round	11/3-4	8	Year-round	11/3-4	8
Utah	8/7-10/21	10/24	10	8/7-10/21	10/24	10
Vermont	8/14-11/4	11/4		8/14-11/4	11/4	
Virginia	7/31-11/11	11/10-11	10	7/31-11/11	11/10-11	10
Washington	8/21-11/4	11/4	10	8/21-11/4	11/4	10
West Virginia	7/31-10/28	10/20-28	16	7/31-10/28	10/19-28	16
Wisconsin	8/14-10/28	10/20-28	11	8/14-10/28	10/20-28	11
Wyoming	8/14-10/21	10/21	8	8/14-10/21	10/21	8

FIELD HOCKEY**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama						
Alaska						
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California						20
Colorado				8/12-11-6	10/28-11/6	15
Connecticut				8/19-11/18	11/4-18	16
Delaware				8/14-11	11/1-11	15
Dist. of Columbia						
Florida						
Georgia						
Hawaii						
Idaho						
Illinois						
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky				8/14-10/12	10/13-23	24
Louisiana						
Maine				8/14-10/17	10/20-11/4	14
Maryland				8/9-10/25	10/26-11/11	12
Massachusetts				8/21-10/29	11/17-18	14
Michigan						
Minnesota						
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire				8/14-10/29	10/17-29	10
New Jersey				9/7-11/12	10/25-11/12	18
New Mexico						
New York				8/21-11/12	11/11-12	16
North Carolina						
North Dakota						
Ohio				8/18-11/4	11/2-4	18
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania				8/14-11/4	11/7-18	18
Rhode Island				8/21-10/20	10/23-11/4	20
South Carolina						
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah						
Vermont				8/17-11/4	10/24-11/4	14
Virginia				8/5-11/16	11/15-16	17
Washington						
West Virginia						
Wisconsin						
Wyoming						

FOOTBALL**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	8/7-11/3	11/10-12/8	10			
Alaska	7/26-10/21	10/14-21	9			
Arizona	8/17-12/2	10/20-12/2	10			
Arkansas	8/20-12/9	12/1-9	10			
California	8/1-11/25	12/1-9	10			
Colorado	8/24-10/28	11/2-12/2	10			
Connecticut	8/15-12/9	11/28-12/9	10			
Delaware	8/7-12/12	11/17-12/2	10			
Dist. of Columbia	8/1-11/25	11/9-25	10			
Florida	7/31-12/9	12/7-9	10			
Georgia	7/31-11/3	11/10-12/13	10			
Hawaii	7/24-11/25	11/10-25	15			
Idaho	8/7-11/18	11/17-18	6			
Illinois	8/7-11/25	11/24-25	9			
Indiana	8/3-11/25	10/20-11/25	9			
Iowa	8/24-10/27	11/16-17	9			
Kansas	8/14-10/27	11/3-25	9			
Kentucky	8/18-10/12	10/13-12/2	10			
Louisiana	7/24-12/9	11/9-12/9	10			
Maine	8/14-10/28	11/4-18	9			
Maryland	8/9-11/4	11/2-12/2	10			
Massachusetts	8/18-10/29	11/29-12/1	11			
Michigan	8/7-11/26	10/27-11/26	9			
Minnesota	8/14-11/9	11/9-25	9			
Mississippi	7/31-11/2	11/30-12/2	11			
Missouri	8/7-12/2	11/30-12/2	10			
Montana	8/11-11/18	10/27-11/18	10			
Nebraska	8/18-10/20	11/20-21	9			
Nevada	7/31-10/28	10/30-11/18	10			
New Hampshire	8/11-11/25	11/4-25	10			
New Jersey	8/25-11/30	10/27-11/30	13			
New Mexico	7/31-11/25	10/27-11/25	10			
New York	8/19-12/3	12/1-3	10			
North Carolina	7/31-12/9	11/3-12/9	10			
North Dakota	8/3-11/10	11/10	9			
Ohio	8/14-12/2	11/30-12/2	10			
Oklahoma	8/7-12/9	11/30-12/9	10			
Oregon	8/14-10/28	11/3-11/25	9			
Pennsylvania	8/7-11/11	11/17-12/9	10			
Rhode Island	8/14-10/28	11/2-18	12			
South Carolina	8/18-10/27	11/30-12/2	10			
South Dakota	8/3-11/11	11/9-11	9			
Tennessee	8/18-12/2	11/30-12/2	10			
Texas	7/31-11/4	12/13-16	10			
Utah	8/11-10/13	10/20-11/17	10			
Vermont	8/14-11/4	10/27-11/4	9			
Virginia	7/27-12/9	11/11-12/9	10			
Washington	8/16-12/2	12/1-2	10			
West Virginia	7/31-12/2	11/10-12/2	10			
Wisconsin	8/1-11/17	10/20-11/17	9			
Wyoming	8/7-11/11	11/10-11	9			

GOLF**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	2/8-4/26	4/30-5/14	14	2/8-4/26	4/30-5/14	14
Alaska						
Arizona	8/14-11/3	10/26-11/3	14	8/15-11/1	10/24-11/1	14
Arkansas	7/31-10/4	10/2-4	12	7/31-9/27	9/25-9/27	12
California	2/1-5/18	5/20-29	24	8/1-11/4	11/6-15	24
Colorado	8/3-9/23	10/2-3	19	2/22-5/15	5/20-21	19
Connecticut	8/20-10/24	10/23-24	16	3/17-6/5	6/3-5	16
Delaware	2/26-5/28	5/28	15	2/26-5/28	5/28	15
Dist. of Columbia	2/2-5/16	5/16	15	2/2-5/16	5/16	15
Florida	7/31-11/15	11/7-15	16	7/31-11/15	11/7-15	16
Georgia	1/31-5/6	5/6-21	12	1/31-5/6	5/6-21	12
Hawaii	2/5-5/1	4/30-5/1		2/12-5/7	5/6-7	
Idaho	8/7-10/7	10/6-7	6	8/7-10/7	10/6-7	6
Illinois	8/7-10/14	10/6-7	18	8/7-10/14	10/6-7	18
Indiana	3/11-6/12	5/31-6/12	18	7/28-9/30	9/15-30	18
Iowa	3/25-5/7	5/20-21	12	3/11-5/9	5/10-24	12
Kansas	2/26-5/11	5/13-21	8	8/14-10/7	10/9-17	8
Kentucky	7/17-9/17	9/18-10/4	20	7/17-9/17	9/18-10/7	20
Louisiana	8/10-4/30	4/22-30		8/10-4/30	4/22-30	
Maine	8/14-10/4	10/6-7	10	8/14-10/4	10/6-7	10
Maryland	8/9-10/17	10/23-25	12	8/9-10/17	10/23-25	12
Massachusetts	8/18-10/19	10/30	20	3/18-5/23	6/3	20
Michigan	3/11-6/8	5/28-6/8	16	8/7-10/21	10/9-21	16
Minnesota	3/18-6/11	6/11-12	16	3/18-6/11	6/11-12	16
Mississippi	7/24-10/6	10/30-31	18	7/24-10/6	10/23-24	18
Missouri	2/26-5/14	5/13-14	14	8/7-10/17	10/16-17	14
Montana	8/11-9/30	9/18-30	12	3/11-5/18	5/6-18	12
Nebraska	3/14-5/11	5/21-22	12	8/17-9/30	10/9-10	12
Nevada	2/10-5/4	5/6-17	14	8/12-10/7	10/9-20	14
New Hampshire	8/14-10/14	10/7-14	12	8/14-10/14	10/7-14	12
New Jersey	3/21-5/31	5/6-15	18	3-21-5/31	5/13	18
New Mexico	2/10-5/14	5/13-14	10	9/4-5/14	5/13-14	10
New York	3/11-6/3	6/2-3	16	3/11-6/3	6/2-3	16
North Carolina	2/14-5/14	5/7-14		7/31-10/31	10/24-31	
North Dakota	4/8-6/5	6/4-5		8/7-10/3	10/2-3	
Ohio	7/31-10/28	10/13-21	20	7/31-10/28	10/13-21	20
Oklahoma	3/1-5/7	4/29-5/7	9	3/1-5/7	5/6-7	9
Oregon	2/26-5/7	5/13-14	10	2/26-5/7	5/13-14	10
Pennsylvania	8/7-10/7	10/16-18	18	8/7-10/7	10/16-18	18
Rhode Island	3/18-5/19	5/28-29	14	3/18-5/19	5/28-29	14
South Carolina	3/4-5/4	5/6-14	16	8/14-10/14	10/16-24	16
South Dakota	8/7-10/3	10/2-3	13	3/25-6/4	6/3-4	13
Tennessee	7/24-10/13	10/9-13	14	7/24-10/13	10/9-13	14
Texas	Year Round	4/10-29	8	Year Round	4/10-5/6	8
Utah	8/7-10/3	10/4-12	10	3/4-4/30	5/8-21	10
Vermont	8/14-10/14	10/14		8/16-10/14	10/14	
Virginia	7/24-10/11	10/11	12	7/24-10/23	10/23	12
Washington	2/26-5/22	5/21-22	12	2/26-5/22	5/21-22	12
West Virginia	7/31-10/4	9/25-10/4	18			
Wisconsin	3/25-6/4	5/21-6/4	15	8/7-10/10	9/27-10/10	15
Wyoming	8/7-9/16	9/15-16	10	8/7-9/16	9/15-16	10

GYMNASTICS**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama						
Alaska				8/2-11/4	11/4	6
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California						14
Colorado				8/17-10/28	11/2-4	11
Connecticut				11/30-3/2	2/24-3/2	14
Delaware						
Dist. of Columbia						
Florida						
Georgia				1/29-4/12	4/20	10
Hawaii						
Idaho						
Illinois				11/6-2/17	2/16-17	15
Indiana				11/13-3/9	2/23-3/9	16
Iowa						
Kansas				8/14-10/20	10/21	10
Kentucky						
Louisiana	8/10-4/13	4/12-13		8/10-4/13	4/12-13	
Maine						
Maryland						
Massachusetts				11/27-2/14	3/2	18
Michigan				10/30-3/9	3/2-9	15
Minnesota				11/13-2/23	2/23-24	16
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire				11/20-2/10	2/10	18
New Jersey				9/7-11/12	11/4-12	14
New Mexico						
New York				11/13-3/2	3/2	16
North Carolina						
North Dakota				11/13-2/24	2/23-24	
Ohio				12/4-3/3	3/2-3	14
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania				11/17-3/2		16
Rhode Island				11/27-2/9	2/17	18
South Carolina						
South Dakota				10/30-2/10	2/9-10	12
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah						
Vermont						
Virginia				11/6-2/10	2/16-17	10
Washington				11/13-2/24	2/22-24	10
West Virginia						
Wisconsin				11/6-3/2	2/22-3/2	14
Wyoming						

ICE HOCKEY**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama						
Alaska	10/11-2/10	2/1-10	22			
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California						
Colorado	11/27-2/17	2/23-3/4	19			
Connecticut	11/27-3/19	3/4-19	20	11/20-3/6	2/26-3/6	20
Delaware						
Dist. of Columbia						
Florida						
Georgia						
Hawaii						
Idaho						
Illinois						
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky						
Louisiana						
Maine	11/20-2/21	2/24-3/9	18	11/6-2/3	2/7-17	18
Maryland						
Massachusetts	11/27-2/22	2/24-3/9	20	11/27-2/22	3/17	20
Michigan	10/30-3/9	2/19-3/9	25			
Minnesota	11/13-3/6	3/6-9	25	10/30-2/21	2/21-24	25
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire	11/27-3/9	2/27-3/9	18	11/27-3/9	2/28-3/9	18
New Jersey	12/7-3/4	2/15-3/4	22	12/7-3/4	2/15-3/4	22
New Mexico						
New York	11/13-3/10	3/9-10	20	11/13-2/17	2/16-17	20
North Carolina						
North Dakota	11/6-2/24	2/22-24	21	11/6-2/24	2/22-24	23
Ohio	11/17-3/10	3/9-10	35			
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania						
Rhode Island	11/27-2/23	2/26-3/18	24	11/27-2/23	2/26-3/18	24
South Carolina						
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah						
Vermont	11/28-3/8	2/27-3/8	20	11/28-3/7	2/27-3/7	20
Virginia						
Washington						
West Virginia						
Wisconsin	11/6-3/2	2/13-3/2	24	11/6-3/2	2/13-3/2	24
Wyoming						

LACROSSE**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama						
Alaska						
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California			20			20
Colorado	3/7-5/4	5/7-20	15	3/7-5/4	5/7-17	15
Connecticut	3/16-6/9	5/29-6/9	16	3/16-6/8	5/28-6/8	16
Delaware	2/26-5/30	5/21-30	15	2/26-5/23	5/15-23	15
Dist. of Columbia				2/13-5-19	5/13-5/19	15
Florida	1/22-5/11	5/9-11	18	1/22-5/11	5/9-11	18
Georgia	1/15-4/20	4/23-5/11	18	1/15-4/20	4/23-5/11	18
Hawaii						
Idaho						
Illinois	2/26-6/8	5/30-6/1	20	2/26-6/8	5/30-6/1	20
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky						
Louisiana						
Maine	3/25-5/30	6/4-15	14	3/25-5/30	6/4-15	14
Maryland	3/1-5/7	5/8-23	12	3/1-5/7	5/8-23	12
Massachusetts	3/18-5/27	6/15-16	18	3/18-5/27	6/15-16	20
Michigan	3/11-6/8	5/16-6/8	18	3/11-6/8	5/16-6/8	18
Minnesota	4/1-6/11	6/11-15	13	4/1-6/11	6/11-15	13
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire	3/18-6/11	6/3-11	18	3/18-6/6	5/30-6/6	18
New Jersey	4/1-6/9	5/22-6/9	18	4/1-6/9	5/22-6/9	18
New Mexico						
New York	3/11-6/8	6/5-8	16	3/11-6/8	6/7-8	16
North Carolina	2/14-5/18	5/1-18	24			
North Dakota						
Ohio	3/15-6/8	6/4-8	18	3/15-6/8	6/4-8	18
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania	3/4-6/1	6/4-15	18	3/4-6/1	6/4-15	18
Rhode Island	3/18-5/17	5/20-6/2	18	3/18-5/17	5/20-6/2	18
South Carolina	2/19-4/11	4/27	16	2/19-4/11	4/27	16
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah	3/4-5/10	5/14-24	16	3/4-5/10	5/14-23	16
Vermont	3/25-6/15	6/4-15	16	3/25-6/16	6/4-16	17
Virginia	2/19-6/8	6/4-8	14	2/19-6/8	5/31-6/8	14
Washington						
West Virginia						
Wisconsin	3/11-6/8	5/21-6/8	18	3/11-6/8	5/21-6/8	18
Wyoming						

SOCCER**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	2/1-4/19	4/22-5/11	18	2/1-4/19	4/22-5/11	18
Alaska	3/4-5/25	5/23-25	22	3/4-5/25	5/23-25	22
Arizona	8/15-10/28	10/24-28	14	8/15-10/28	10/24-28	14
Arkansas	2/26-5/18	5/17-18	24	2/26-5/18	5/17-18	24
California	11/1-2/24	2/27-3/2	28	11/1-2/24	2/27-3/2	28
Colorado	8/17-10/21	10/25-11/11	15	3/7-5/4	5/7-22	15
Connecticut	8/19-11/19	11/7-19	16	8/19-11/19	11/6-19	16
Delaware	8/14-11/18	11/7-18	15	2/26-5/31	5/18-31	15
Dist. of Columbia	8/1-11/12	11/7-12	18	8/1-11/12	11/7-12	18
Florida	10/16-3/2	2/20-3/2	25	10/16-3/2	2/20-3/2	25
Georgia	1/15-4/13	4/16-5/10	18	1/15-4/13	4/16-5/10	18
Hawaii	11/6-2/10	2/5-10	26	10/30-2/3	1/29-2/3	33
Idaho	8/7-10/21	10/19-21	39	8/7-10/21	10/19-21	39
Illinois	8/7-11/4	11/2-4	25	2/26-6/1	5/30-6/1	25
Indiana	7/31-10/28	10/2-29	16	7/31-10/29	10/2-29	17
Iowa	3/25-5/11	5/29-6/1	19	3/11-5/12	5/13-6/1	17
Kansas	8/14-10/21	10/23-11/4	16	2/26-5/11	5/13-25	16
Kentucky	8/7-10/1	10/2-28	21	8/7-10/1	10/2-28	21
Louisiana	10/9-2/24	2/21-24	34	10/9-2/24	2/21-24	34
Maine	8/14-10/17	10/20-11/4	14	8/14-10/17	10/20-11/4	14
Maryland	8/9-10/24	10/25-11/18	12	8/9-10/24	10/25-11/18	12
Massachusetts	8/21-10/30	11/18	18	8/21-10/30	11/18	18
Michigan	8/7-11/4	10/11-11/4	18	3/11-6/15	5/22-6/15	18
Minnesota	8/14-10/24	10/24-11/3	16	8/14-10/24	10/24-11/3	16
Mississippi	10/16-1/25	2/9-10	23	10/16-1/25	2/9-10	23
Missouri	8/7-11/18	11/17-18	25	2/26-6/1	5/31-6/1	25
Montana	8/11-10/28	10/9-28	14	8/11-10/28	10/9-28	14
Nebraska	3/14-4/25	5/6-14	18	3/14-4/25	5/6-14	18
Nevada	8/12-10/28	10/30-11/11	24	8/12-10/28	10/30-11/11	24
New Hampshire	8/14-11/5	10/25-11/5	16	8/14-11/5	10/25-11/5	16
New Jersey	9/7-11/12	10/25-11/12	18	9/7-11/12	10/26-11/12	18
New Mexico	8/14-11/11	10/31-11/11	20	8/14-11/11	10/31-11/11	20
New York	8/21-11/12	11/10-12	16	8/21-11/12	11/11-12	16
North Carolina	7/31-11/18	10/30-11/18	24	2/14-6/1	5/13-6/1	24
North Dakota	8/7-10/14	10/12-14	19	3/25-6/1	5/30-6/1	19
Ohio	8/16-11/11	11/8-11	17	8/16-11/11	11/7-10	17
Oklahoma	3/1-5/11	5/10-11	15	3/1-5/11	5/10-11	15
Oregon	8/14-10/24	10/28-11/11	14	8/14-10/24	10/28-11/11	14
Pennsylvania	8/14-11/4	11/7-18	18	8/14-11/4	11/7-18	18
Rhode Island	8/21-10/27	10/30-11/12	20	8/21-10/27	10/30-11/12	20
South Carolina	2/26-4/26	5/10-11	26	2/26-4/26	5/10-11	26
South Dakota	7/31-10/14	10/13-14	14	7/31-10/14	10/13-14	14
Tennessee	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	16	8/14-10/28	10/25-28	16
Texas	11/27-3/23	4/10-13	21	11/27-3/23	4/10-13	21
Utah	3/4-4/23	4/26-5/23	16	7/31-9/30	10/5-21	16
Vermont	8/17-11/4	10/24-11/4	14	8/17-11/5	10/24-11/5	14
Virginia	2/19-6/8	6/1-8	16	2/19-6/8	6/1-8	16
Washington	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	16	8/21-11/18	11/17-18	16
West Virginia	7/31-11/4	10/16-11/4	20	7/31-11/4	10/16-11/4	20
Wisconsin	8/14-11/4	10/17-11/4	24	3/18-6/15	5/28-6/15	24
Wyoming	3/4-5/18	5/16-18	14	3/4-5/18	5/16-18	14

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State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama				2/15-4/22	4/26-5/18	18
Alaska				3/4-6/1	5/30-6/1	22
Arizona				2/21-5/13	4/26-5/13	14
Arkansas				2/26-5/18	5/17-18	24
California				2/1-5/25	5/28-6/1	28
Colorado				8/10-10/7	10/14-21	23
Connecticut				3/9-6/8	5/28-6/8	20
Delaware				2/26-6/1	5/21-6/1	18
Dist. of Columbia				5/13-19	5/13-19	20
Florida				1/22-5/25	5/20-25	25
Georgia				7/31-10/12	10/16-28	30
Hawaii				2/5-5/18	5/13-18	36
Idaho				2/23-5/18	5/16-18	24
Illinois				2/26-6/8	5/31-6/8	35
Indiana				3/4-6/8	5/20-6/8	28
Iowa				4/29-7/7	7/8-26	40
Kansas				2/26-5/11	5/13-24	20
Kentucky				3/11-5/19	5/20-6/15	36
Louisiana				1/15-4/27	4/13-27	34
Maine				3/18-5/29	6/4-15	16
Maryland				3/1-5/8	5/9-25	18
Massachusetts				3/18-5/27	6/14-15	20
Michigan				3/11-6/15	5/23-6/15	38
Minnesota				3/11-6/5	6/5-7	20
Mississippi				1/13-4/20	5/14-18	28
Missouri				8/7-10/28	10/26-28	36
Montana				3/11-5/25	5/20-25	20
Nebraska				8/7-9/30	10/11-16	25
Nevada				2/10-5/4	5/6-18	27
New Hampshire				3/18-6/10	5/31-6/10	20
New Jersey				4/1-6/9	5/20-6/9	24
New Mexico				2/5-5/18	5/10-18	26
New York				3/11-6/8	6/7-8	20
North Carolina				2/14-6/1	5/7-6/1	24
North Dakota				3/18-6/1	5/30-6/1	36
Ohio				3/23-6/8	5/30-6/1	27
Oklahoma				7/15-10/14	10/5-14	37
Oregon				2/26-5/16	5/20-6/1	26
Pennsylvania				3/4-6/1	6/3-14	20
Rhode Island				3/18-5/21	5/24-6/9	22
South Carolina				3/4-4/27	5/20-24	26
South Dakota				3/11-6/1	5/30-6/1	20
Tennessee				3/11-5/24	5/21-24	34
Texas				1/12-4/27	5/28-6/1	26
Utah				3/4-4/30	5/3-24	22
Vermont				3/25-6/15	6/4-15	16
Virginia				2/19-6/8	6/1-8	20
Washington				2/26-5/25	5/23-25	20
West Virginia				2/26-5/23	4/29-5/23	32
Wisconsin				3/11-6/8	5/16-6/8	26
Wyoming				3/4-5/18	5/16-18	26

SPIRIT**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama						
Alaska				7/26-3/23	3/19	
Arizona						
Arkansas				8/14-12/16	12/15-16	5
California				11/1-1/20	1/27	
Colorado				8/17-12/2	12/7-9	
Connecticut					3/2	
Delaware						
Dist. of Columbia						
Florida	10/16-2/3	2/2-3	10	10/16-2/3	2/2-3	10
Georgia				7/31-10/28	11/4-11	8
Hawaii	8/7-11/6	11/6		8/7-11/6	11/6	
Idaho	8/7-3/2	2/23-24	54	8/7-3/2	2/23-24	54
Illinois						
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky						
Louisiana						
Maine				11/20-1/27	2/3-10	9
Maryland						
Massachusetts						
Michigan						
Minnesota						
Mississippi				7/24-12/2	12/8-9	5
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire				11/3-3/7	3/7	
New Jersey						
New Mexico	11/6-3/23	3/21-23	10	11/6-3/23	3/22-23	10
New York				11/13-3/2	3/2	
North Carolina						
North Dakota						
Ohio						
Oklahoma	8/1-5/17	9/23	4	8/1-5/17	9/23	4
Oregon				8/14-1/16	2/10	
Pennsylvania				8/14-3/23	1/26-27	
Rhode Island						
South Carolina						
South Dakota				7/31-10/21	10/20-21	10
Tennessee		11/4			11/4	
Texas					1/4-6	
Utah				12/1-1/13	1/24-26	4
Vermont						
Virginia				8/1-11/9	10/26-11/9	10
Washington	10/30-2/3	2/2-3	10	10/30-2/3	2/3	10
West Virginia				7/31-3/16	11/9-3/16	13
Wisconsin						
Wyoming						

SWIMMING**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	8/7-11/14	11/17-12/2	8	8/7-11/14	11/16-12/2	8
Alaska	8/2-11/4	11/3-4	9	8/2-11/4	11/3-4	9
Arizona	8/31-11/3	11/1-3	11	8/31-11/4	11/1-4	11
Arkansas	10/30-2/24	2/23-24	10	10/30-2/24	2/23-24	10
California	2/1-5/4	5/9-11	14	2/1-5/4	5/9-11	14
Colorado	2/29-5/4	5/9-11	11	11/27-2/3	2/6-10	11
Connecticut	11/30-3/16	3/6-16	18	8/19-11/19	11/8-19	18
Delaware	11/6-2/24	2/21-24	15	11/6-2/24	2/21-24	15
Dist. of Columbia	11/3-2/14	2/14	15	11/13-2/14	2/14	15
Florida	7/31-11/11	11/3-11	13	7/31-11/11	11/3-11	13
Georgia	10/9-2/2	2/6-10	10	10/9-2/2	2/6-10	10
Hawaii	11/6-2/10	2/10		11/6-2/10	2/10	
Idaho	8/7-11/4	11/3-4	22	8/7-11/4	11/3-4	21
Illinois	11/20-2/24	2/23-24	17	8/7-11/11	11/10-11	17
Indiana	11/6-2/24	2/15-24	18	10/23-2/10	2/1-10	18
Iowa	11/20-2/2	2/9-10	12	8/7-10/18	10/19-11/11	12
Kansas	11/13-2/10	2/15-17	10	2/26-5/11	5/16-18	10
Kentucky	11/13-2/8	2/9-24	15	11/13-2/8	2/9-24	15
Louisiana	11/6-2/24	2/15-24	18	10/23-2/10	2/1-10	18
Maine	11/20-2/9	2/17-20	10	11/20-2/9	2/17-20	10
Maryland	11/15-2/11	2/15-24	12	11/15-2/11	2/15-24	12
Massachusetts	11/27-2/5	2/17-18	18	11/27-2/5	2/17-18	18
Michigan	11/20-3/9	2/29-3/9	17	8/7-11/18	11/9-18	17
Minnesota	11/27-2/29	2/29-3/2	16	8/14-11/16	11/16-18	16
Mississippi	7/24-10/7	10/14-21	10	7/24-10/7	10/14-21	10
Missouri	8/7-11/11	11/9-11	16	11/6-2/17	2/15-17	16
Montana	11/16-2/10	2/9-10	10	8/11-2/10	2/9-10	10
Nebraska	11/30-2/17	2/22-24	12	11/30-2/17	2/22-24	12
Nevada	2/10-5/4	5/6-18	14	2/10-5/4	5/6-18	14
New Hampshire	11/13-2/10	2/9-10	16	11/13-2/10	2/9-10	16
New Jersey	12/7-3/3	2/6-3/3	16	12/7-3/3	2/6-3/3	16
New Mexico	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	10	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	10
New York	11/3-3/2	3/1-2	16	8/21-11/18	11/17-18	16
North Carolina	10/30-2/10	2/8-10		10/30-2/10	2/8-10	
North Dakota	11/27-3/2	3/1-2		8/14-11/11	11/10-11	
Ohio	11/27-2/24	2/20-24	16	11/27-2/24	2/20-24	16
Oklahoma	11/1-2/17	2/15-17	12	11/1-2/17	2/15-17	12
Oregon	11/13-2/10	2/16-17	12	11/13-2/10	2/16-17	12
Pennsylvania	11/17-2/24	3/13-16	18	11/17-2/24	3/13-16	18
Rhode Island	11/27-2/9	2/16-3/2	14	11/27-2/9	2/16-3/2	14
South Carolina	8/14-10/7	10/16	8	8/14-10/7	10/14	8
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas		2/23-24	8		2/23-24	8
Utah	11/3-2/14	2/16-24	14	11/3-2/14	2/16-24	14
Vermont						
Virginia	11/6-2/17	2/15-17	10	11/6-2/17	2/15-17	10
Washington	11/13-2/16	2/15-17	12	8/21-11/11	11/9-11	12
West Virginia	10/23-2/16	2/3-16	16	10/23-2/16	2/3-16	16
Wisconsin	11/13-2/17	2/9-17	15	8/8-11/11	11/3-11	15
Wyoming	11/27-2/17	2/15-17	18	8/14-11/4	11/2-4	18

TENNIS**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	1/25-3/11	3/15-4/26	18	1/5-4/11	4/15-26	18
Alaska	7/26-10/7	10/5-7	7	7/26-10/7	10/5-7	7
Arizona	2/21-5/4	4/26-5/4	16	2/21-5/5	4/26-5/5	17
Arkansas	8/7-10/10	10/9-10	12	8/7-10/10	10/9-10	12
California	2/1-5/11	5/14-25	24	8/1-11/11	11/14-25	24
Colorado	8/10-9/29	10/12-17	12	2/29-4/25	4/25-5/14	12
Connecticut	3/16-6/5	5/24-6/5	20	3/16-6/6	5/24-6/6	20
Delaware	2/26-5/22	5/18-22	15	2/26-5/22	5/18-22	15
Dist. of Columbia	2/13-5/16	5/13-16	22	2/13-5/16	5/13-16	22
Florida	1/15-5/3	4/29-5/3	18	1/15-5/3	4/29-5/3	18
Georgia	1/8-4/11	4/18-5/11	18	1/8-4/11	4/18-5/11	18
Hawaii	2/12-5/11	5/9-11		2/12-5/11	5/9-11	
Idaho	2/23-5/18	5/17-18	32	2/23-5/18	5/17-18	32
Illinois	2/26-5/25	5/23-25	20	8/7-10/28	10/19-21	20
Indiana	7/31-10/21	9/26-10/21	22	3/11-6/8	5/14-6/8	22
Iowa	3/25-5/7	5/21-22	12	3/11-5/7	5/8-29	12
Kansas	2/26-5/1	5/2-11	8	8/14-10/5	10/6-14	8
Kentucky	3/4-5/5	5/6-6/5	22	3/4-5/5	5/6-6/5	22
Louisiana	7/31-10/21	9/26-10/21	22	3/11-6/8	5/14-6/8	22
Maine	3/25-5/23	5/28-6/8	12	3/25-5/23	5/28-6/8	12
Maryland	3/1-5/12	5/15-25	18	3/1-5/12	5/15-25	18
Massachusetts	3/18-5/23	6/15	20	3/18-5/23	6/15	20
Michigan	8/7-10/21	10/11-21	16	3/11-6/1	5/15-6/1	16
Minnesota	3/25-6/4	6/4-7	16	8/14-10/24	10/24-27	16
Mississippi	1/8-4/24	4/22-24	20	1/8-4/2	4/22-24	20
Missouri	2/26-5/25	5/16-25	20	8/7-10/21	10/12-21	20
Montana	3/11-5/25	5/13-25	12	3/11-5/25	5/13-25	12
Nebraska	8/24-10/7	10/12-17	20	3/14-5/11	5/16-21	20
Nevada	8/12-10/7	10/9-28	14	8/12-10/7	10/9-28	14
New Hampshire	3/18-5/31	5/23-31	18	3/18-6/1	5/24-6/1	18
New Jersey	4/1-6/9	5/22-6/12	24	9/5-10/31	10/5-31	24
New Mexico	2/12-5/11	5/8-11	12	2/12-5/11	5/8-11	10
New York	3/11-6/7	5/31-6/7	16	8/21-11/3	10/26-11/3	16
North Carolina	2/14-5/18	5/1-18		7/31-11/4	10/18-11/4	
North Dakota	8/14-10/14	10/12-14		4/1-6/1	5/30-6/1	
Ohio	3/22-6/1	5/23-24	22	8/14-10/20	10/19-20	
Oklahoma	3/1-5/11	5/10-11	14	3/1-5/4	5/3-4	14
Oregon	2/26-5/18	5/23-25	16	2/26-5/18	5/23-25	16
Pennsylvania	3/4-5/18	5/17-25	16	8/14-10/28	10/27-11/4	18
Rhode Island	3/18-5/17	5/20-6/1	18	8/21-10/20	10/23-11/4	18
South Carolina	3/4-4/19	5/4	24	3/4-4/19	5/4	24
South Dakota	3/11-5/17	5/13-17	15	7/31-10/6	10/2-6	15
Tennessee	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	22	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	22
Texas		5/16-17	8		5/16-17	8
Utah	3/4-5/1	5/4-18	16	8/7-9/20	9/23-10/7	16
Vermont	3/25-6/15	6/4-15		3/25-6/16	6/4-16	
Virginia	2/19-6/8	5/31-6/8	16	2/19-6/8	5/31-6/8	16
Washington	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	16	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	16
West Virginia	2/26-5/11	4/27-5/11	22	2/26-5/11	4/27-5/11	22
Wisconsin	3/24-6/8	5/20-6/8	14	8/8-10/21	10/2-21	14
Wyoming	8/7-9/23	9/21-23	10	8/7-9/23	9/21-23	10

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State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	2/22-4/24	4/27-5/4	10	2/22-4/24	4/27-5/4	10
Alaska	3/4-5/25	5/24-25	6	3/4-5/25	5/24-25	6
Arizona	2/21-5/11	5/10-11	13	2/21-5/11	5/10-11	13
Arkansas	2/19-5/4	4/29-5/4	13	2/19-5/4	4/29-5/4	13
California	2/1-5/18	5/24-25	14	2/1-5/18	5/24-25	14
Colorado	3/7-5/11	5/16-18	12	3/7-5/11	5/16-18	12
Connecticut	3/16-6/3	5/28-6/3	16	3/16-6/4	5/28-6/4	16
Delaware	2/26-5/17	5/17	16	2/26-5/17	5/17	16
Dist. of Columbia	2/7-5/23	5/22-23	18	2/7-5/23	5/22-23	18
Florida	1/29-5/18	5/15-18	13	1/29-5/18	5/15-18	13
Georgia	1/8-4/27	5/4-11	10	1/8-4/27	5/4-11	10
Hawaii	2/5-5/11	5/10-11		2/12-5/11	5/10-11	
Idaho	2/23-5/18	5/17-18		2/23-5/18	5/17-18	
Illinois	1/15-5/25	5/23-25	18	1/15-5/18	5/16-18	18
Indiana	2/12-6/1	5/16-6/1	16	2/12-5/31	5/14-31	17
Iowa	3/4-5/8	5/16-18	16	2/19-5/8	5/9-24	16
Kansas	2/26-5/11	5/16-25	8	2/26-5/11	5/16-25	8
Kentucky	1/5-5/5	5/6-6/1	19	1/5-5/5	5/6-6/1	19
Louisiana	2/12-6/1	5/16-6/1	16	2/12-5/31	5/14-31	17
Maine	3/25-5/25	6/1	8	3/25-5/25	6/1	8
Maryland	3/1-5/7	5/14-25	10	3/1-5/7	5/14-25	10
Massachusetts	3/18-5/20	5/23-6/1	16	3/18-5/20	5/23-6/1	16
Michigan	3/11-6/1	5/16-6/1	18	3/11-6/1	5/16-6/1	18
Minnesota	3/11-6/6	6/6-8	14	3/11-6/6	6/6-8	14
Mississippi	1/15-5/4	5/2-4	14	1/15-5/4	5/2-4	14
Missouri	2/26-5/25	5/17-25	13	2/26-5/25	5/17-25	13
Montana	3/11-5/25	5/6-25	10	3/11-5/25	5/6-25	10
Nebraska	3/14-5/4	5/15-18	12	3/14-5/4	5/15-18	12
Nevada	2/10-5/4	5/6-18	16	2/10-5/4	5/6-18	16
New Hampshire	3/18-6/2	5/25-6/2		3/18-6/2	5/25-6/2	
New Jersey	4/1-6/9	5/31-6/12	24	4/1-6/9	5/31-6/12	24
New Mexico	2/12-5/18	5/10-18	10	2/12-5/18	5/10-18	10
New York	3/11-6/8	6/7-8	16	3/11-6/8	6/7-8	16
North Carolina	2/14-5/18	5/17-18		2/14-5/18	5/17-18	
North Dakota	2/27-5/26	5/25-26	14	2/27-5/26	5/25-26	14
Ohio	3/23-6/1	3/31-6/1	12	3/23-6/1	3/31-6/1	12
Oklahoma	3/1-5/18	5/10-18	8	3/1-5/18	5/10-18	8
Oregon	2/26-5/11	5/16-18	12	2/26-5/11	5/16-18	12
Pennsylvania	3/4-5/18	5/24-25	16	3/4-5/18	5/24-25	16
Rhode Island	3/18-5/11	5/18-6/1	14	3/18-5/11	5/18-6/1	14
South Carolina	3/4-4/27	5/16-18	16	3/4-4/27	5/16-18	16
South Dakota	2/26-5/25	5/23-25	12	2/26-5/25	5/23-25	12
Tennessee	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	11	3/11-5/24	5/21-24	11
Texas		5/2-4	8		5/2-4	8
Utah	3/4-5/13	5/16-18	12	3/4-5/13	5/16-18	12
Vermont	3/25-6/1	5/31-6/1		3/18-6/1	5/31-6/1	
Virginia	2/19-6/1	5/31-6/1	10	2/19-6/1	5/31-6/1	10
Washington	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	10	2/26-5/25	5/24-25	10
West Virginia	2/26-5/18	5/8-18	16	2/26-5/18	5/8-18	16
Wisconsin	3/4-6/1	5/20-6/1	20	3/4-6/1	5/20-6/1	20
Wyoming	3/4-5/18	5/16-18	10	3/4-5/18	5/16-18	10

VOLLEYBALL**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama				8/7-10/16	10/17-11/2	15
Alaska				8/2-11	11/9-11	22
Arizona	2/26-5/11	5/3-11	20	8/23-11/10	10/31-11/10	20
Arkansas				8/21-10/28	10/28	30
California	2/1-5/11	5/14-18	28	8/1-11/4	11/7-18	28
Colorado	2/29-4/30	5/4-11	23	8/17-10/28	11/4-11	23
Connecticut	3/16-6/6	5/29-6/6	20	8/19-11/18	11/6-18	20
Delaware	2/26-5/23	5/11-23	15	8/14-11/13	11/1-13	15
Dist. of Columbia				8/1-11/10	11/7-10	24
Florida	2/12-5/18	5/17-18	25	7/31-11/11	11/6-11	25
Georgia				7/31-10/4	10/17-11/4	18
Hawaii	2/12-5/11	5/6-11	26	8/7-11/4	10/30-11/4	29
Idaho				8/7-10/28	10/26-28	84
Illinois	3/4-6/1	5/31-6/1	35	8/7-11/11	11/10-11	35
Indiana	3/10-5/31	5/13-31	23	7/31-11/4	10/10-11/4	23
Iowa				8/7-10/15	10/16-11/2	14
Kansas				8/14-10/20	10/21-28	36
Kentucky				8/14-10/15	10/16-11/4	35
Louisiana				7/31-11/4	10/10-11/4	23
Maine				8/14-10/17	10/19-28	14
Maryland				8/9-11/1	11/2-18	15
Massachusetts	3/18-5/24	6/13	20	8/21-10/27	11/17-18	20
Michigan				8/7-11/18	10/30-11/18	18
Minnesota				8/14-11/8	11/8-11	17
Mississippi				7/24-10/5	10/19-20	20
Missouri	2/26-5/22	5/21-22	20	8/7-11/4	11/2-4	36
Montana				8/11-11/11	10/23-11/11	18
Nebraska				8/24-10/21	11/1-4	30
Nevada	2/10-5/4	5/6-18	24	8/12-10/28	10/30-11/11	24
New Hampshire	3/25-5/29	5/25-29	18	8/14-11/4	10/25-11/4	18
New Jersey	4/1-6/9	5/23-6/9	24	9/7-11/12	10/26-11/12	24
New Mexico				8/14-11/18	11/16-18	23
New York	8/21-11/18	11/18	20	8/21-11/19	11/18-19	20
North Carolina				7/31-11/4	10/21-11/4	22
North Dakota				8/14-11/18	11/16-18	20
Ohio	3/8-5/26	5/25-26	22	8/18-11/11	11/9-11	22
Oklahoma				8/1-10/21	10/12-21	15
Oregon				8/14-10/24	10/25-11/4	18
Pennsylvania	3/4-6/1	6/4-15	22	8/14-11/4	11/7-18	22
Rhode Island	3/18-5/24	5/27-6/8	22	8/21-10/27	10/30-11/11	22
South Carolina	8/21-10/16	11/2	18	8/21-10/16	11/4	18
South Dakota				8/10-11/18	11/16-18	20
Tennessee				8/14-10/20	10/17-20	35
Texas				7/31-10/28	11/15-18	29
Utah	3/4-4/30	5/4-18	28	8/10-10/17	10/21-11/4	18
Vermont	8/17-11/4	10/24-11/4	14	8/17-11/5	10/24-11/5	14
Virginia	7/31-11/18	11/11-18	20	7/31-11/18	11/11-18	20
Washington				8/21-11/18	11/8-18	18
West Virginia				8/7-11/9	10/31-11/9	22
Wisconsin	8/14-11/4	10/20-11/4	15	8/14-11/4	10/17-11/4	15
Wyoming				8/14-11/4	11/2-4	18

WRESTLING**BOYS****GIRLS**

State	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests	Season Dates	State Championship Date(s)	Number of Contests
Alabama	11/9-2/8	2/9-17	14			
Alaska	9/27-12/16	12/15-16	24	9/27-12/16	12/15-16	24
Arizona	11/20-2/17	2/15-17	12	11/20-2/17	2/16-17	12
Arkansas	11/13-2/24	2/23-24	18	11/13-2/24	2/23-24	18
California	11/1-2/17	2/22-24	40	11/1-2/17	2/22-24	40
Colorado	11/27-2/3	2/15-17	22	11/27-2/3	2/15-17	22
Connecticut	11/27-2/24	2/23-2/24	18	11/27-2/25	2/23-2/25	19
Delaware	11/6-3/3	2/15-3/3	18			
Dist. of Columbia		2/16-17	18		2/16-17	18
Florida	11/6-3/2	2/29-3/2	20	10/30-3/2	2/29-3/2	20
Georgia	10/23-2/3	2/9-17	20	10/23-2/3	2/9-17	20
Hawaii	11/13-2/24	2/23-24		11/13-2/24	2/23-24	
Idaho	11/13-2/24	2/23-24		11/13-2/24	2/23-24	
Illinois	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	25	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	25
Indiana	11/6-2/24	2/2-24	18	10/23-1/19	1/5-19	18
Iowa	11/27-2/9	2/14-17	15	10/30-1/25	1/26-2/2	15
Kansas	11/13-2/15	2/16-24	30	11/13-2/9	2/10-2/24	30
Kentucky	11/20-2/8	2/9-16	17	11/20-2/1	2/2-17	17
Louisiana	10/2-2/3	2/2-3		10/2-2/3	2/2-3	
Maine	11/20-1/31	2/10-17	18	11/20-1/31	2/10-20	18
Maryland	11/15-2/17	2/23-3/2	14	11/15-2/17	2/23-3/2	14
Massachusetts	11/27-2/7	2/23-24	20	11/27-2/7	2/23-24	20
Michigan	11/13-3/2	2/7-3/2	16			
Minnesota	11/20-2/29	2/29-3/2	16	11/20-2/29	2/29-3/2	16
Mississippi						
Missouri	11/6-2/24	2/21-24	20	10/30-2/24	2/21-24	20
Montana	11/16-2/10	2/2-10	18	11/16-2/10	2/2-10	18
Nebraska	11/30-2/3	2/14-17	18	11/30-1/27	2/14-17	18
Nevada	11/11-2/3	2/5-17	15	11/11-2/3	2/5-17	15
New Hampshire	11/13-2/10	2/17-24	20			
New Jersey	12/14-3/3	2/5-3/3	30	12/14-3/3	2/18-3/3	30
New Mexico	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	12	11/6-2/24	2/23-24	12
New York	11/13-2/24	2/23-24	20	11/13-1/26	1/26	20
North Carolina	10/30-2/17	2/15-17				
North Dakota	11/6-2/17	2/15-17	16	11/6-2/17	2/15-17	16
Ohio	12/7-3/10	3/8-10	20	12/7-3/10	3/8-10	20
Oklahoma	11/16-2/24	2/22-24	26	11/16-2/24	2/22-24	26
Oregon	11/13-2/17	2/22-24	14	11/13-2/17	2/22-24	14
Pennsylvania	11/17-2/24	3/7-9	22	11/17-2/24	3/7-9	22
Rhode Island	3/18-2/9	2/12-23	20	3/18-2/9	2/12-23	20
South Carolina	11/27-1/30	2/10	16			
South Dakota	11/13-2/24	2/22-24	15	11/13-2/24	2/22-24	15
Tennessee	11/20-2/24	2/3-24	22	11/20-2/24	2/3-24	22
Texas		2/16-17	8		2/16-17	8
Utah	11/21-2/3	2/9-17	17	11/21-2/3	2/9-17	16
Vermont	11/27-2/24	2/23-24	8	11/27-2/25	2/23-25	8
Virginia	11/6-2/17	2/16-17	12	11/6-2/17	2/16-17	12
Washington	11/13-2/17	2/16-17	16	11/13-2/17	2/16-17	16
West Virginia	11/13-3/2	2/17-3/2	18			
Wisconsin	11/13-3/2	2/10-3/2	14	11/13-3/2	2/10-3/2	14
Wyoming	11/20-2/24	2/22-24	15	11/20-2/24	2/22-24	15

DIRECTORY OF MEMBER STATE ASSOCIATIONS AND STAFF MEMBERS

NOTE: The year in parentheses indicates when the state association joined the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS). The first number following the name of each state association is the number of member high schools. The second number is the number of students in these schools.

* — Denotes speech and debate staff. • — Denotes music staff. # — Denotes theatre/drama staff.

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Meetings: October, February and April

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Publication: IHSAA Bulletin

Meetings: September-October-November-December-January-March-April-June-August

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Publication: Kentucky High School ATHLETE Annual Meeting: September

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Communications and Compliance: Melissa Mertz

Annual Meeting: December and April

Other full-time office employees: 0

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**Andy
Warner**

MASSACHUSETTS INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC. (1944) 383 302,000

Executive Director: **DR. ROBERT BALDWIN**, 33 Forge Parkway, Franklin 02038

Deputy Director: Sherry Bryant

Associate Director: Peter Smith

Associate Director: Richard Pearson

Assistant Director: Steve Dubzinski

Assistant Director: Phil Napolitano

Assistant Director: Michael Rubin

Assistant Director: Keith Brouillard

Assistant Director: Jim Clark

Office Manager: Bonnie Lemote

Annual Meeting: April

Other full-time employees: 9

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MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1920) 753 463,000

Executive Director: **MARK UYL**, 1661 Ramblewood Drive, East Lansing 48823

Senior Assistant Director: Cody Inglis

Senior Assistant Director: Kathy Vrugink Westdorp

Senior Assistant Director/Director of Brand Management: Andy Frushour

Assistant Director: Will McKoy

Assistant Director: Andrea Osters

Assistant Director: Dan Hutcheson

Director of Communications: Geoff Kimmerly

Director of Information Systems: Tony Bihn

Director of Broadcast Properties: Jon Ross

Director of Officials Services: Sam Davis

Publication: benchmarks Meetings: December, March and May

Other full-time office employees: 15

Phone: 517-332-5046; Fax: 517.332.4071

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MINNESOTA STATE HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE (1923) 634 (130 home schools) 272,000

Executive Director: **ERICH MARTENS**, 2100 Freeway Blvd., Brooklyn Center 55430-1735

Senior Associate Director: Bob Madison

Associate Director: Phil Archer

Associate Director: Charlie Campbell

Associate Director: Lisa Quednow

Director of Finance: Andy Peden

Director of Information Systems: Laura Mackenthun

Assistant Director: Amy Doherty*#

Program Specialist: Randi Hill

Communications Coordinator: Tim Leighton•

Assistant Director: Jason Nickleby

Meetings: Bi-Monthly; Annual Meeting: May

Other full-time office employees: 12

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Martens**

MISSISSIPPI HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION, INC. (1922)..... 245 144,000

Executive Director: **RICKEY NEAVES** (PO Box 127, 39060-0127),

1201 Clinton-Raymond Road, Clinton 39056

Associate Director: Lonnie Tillman

Director of Eligibility: Tim Shramek

Director of Officials: Greg Freeman

Director of Middle Schools: LeAnna Dawson*

Director of Technology: Keith Warren

Director of Development: Adam Jonson

Assistant Director of Development: Garrett Butler

Chief Financial Officer: Lesley McLendon

Account Manager: Sloane Bush

Account Manager: Garrett Butler

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Administrative Assistant: Karen Arthur

Meetings: October, February and April

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Neaves**

MISSOURI STATE HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1926)..... 585 392,000

Executive Director: **DR. JENNIFER RUKSTAD**, PO Box 1328, Columbia, 65205-1328

Associate Executive Director: Toni Hill

Associate Executive Director: James Melton •

Assistant Executive Director: Lou Mazzocco

Assistant Executive Director: Alex Huck*#

Assistant Executive Director: Doug Fessler

Assistant Executive Director: Daryl Bradley

Assistant Executive Director: Stephanie Turner

Coordinator for Football and Basketball Officials: Kenny Seifert

Chief Financial and Operations Officer: Craig A. Long

Communications Director: Andrew Kauffman

Meetings: September, December, January, February, March, April, June

Other full-time office employees: 19

Phone: 573-875-4880

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Rukstad**

MONTANA HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION (1934)..... 182 44,000

Executive Director: **BRIAN MICHELOTTI**, 1 S. Dakota Ave., Helena 59601-5198

Senior Associate Director: Kip Ryan

Associate Director: Scott Wilson

Assistant Director: Greta Buehler

Assistant Director: Amy Bartels*•

Office Manager: Jenise Cockhill

Publication: Activity News Annual Meeting: January

Other full-time office employees: 1

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NEBRASKA SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1924) 308 105,000

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Associate Director: Jeff Johnson

Assistant Director: Ron Higdon

Assistant Director: Nate Neuhaus

Assistant Director: Jon Dolliver

Assistant Director: Jeff Stauss

Assistant Director: Taryn Retzlaff•*#

Assistant Director: Colton Wierzbicki

Business Manager: Megan Huber

Office Manager: Cindy Callaway

Software Developer: Rick Colgan

Annual Meeting: April

Other full-time office employees: 3

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Schwartz**

NEVADA INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1939) 125 165,000

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Assistant Director: Cate Sgroi

Assistant Director: Bartt Davis

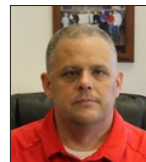
Assistant Director: Sean Fitzsimons

Publication: NIAA Executive Director Update

Meetings: Fall (September/October), Winter (December/January), Spring (March/April),
Summer (June)

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NEW HAMPSHIRE INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION INC. (1945) 89 57,000

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Assistant Director: David Rozumek

Assistant Director of Operations: Donna Plumb

Publication: NHIAA News Annual Meeting: September

Other full-time office employees: 2

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Collins**

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Assistant Director: Al Stumpf

Assistant Director: Derryk Sellers

Accounting Manager: Michele Perez

Annual Meeting: May

Other full-time office employees: 6

Phone: 609-259-2776

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NEW MEXICO ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1932) 160 85,000

Executive Director: **DUSTY YOUNG**, 6600 Palomas Avenue NE., Albuquerque 87109

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Assistant Director: Jackie Martinez

Assistant Director: Gary Allison

Assistant Director: Julie Sanchez*#

Assistant Director: Tyler Dunkel

Assistant Director: Zac Stevenson•

Commissioner of Officials: Carl Vigil

Sports Information Director: J.P. Murrieta

Business Manager: Shari Kessler-Schwaner

Bookkeeper/Sport Director: Annette Castillo

Coaches Association: Angel Castillo

Annual Meeting: September

Other full-time office employees: 2

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NEW YORK STATE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC. (1926) 786 583,000

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Assistant Director: Joe Altieri

Assistant Director: Kristen Jadin

Director of Finance: Lisa Hand

Director of Communications: Lexi Swatt

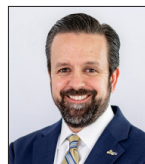
Director of Marketing & Foundation: Chris Joyce

Annual Meeting: August

Other full-time office employees: 2

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Assistant Commissioner: Alfie Wheeler

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Director of Officiating Services: Eddie Simmons

Director of Sports and Championships: Austin Fleming

Director of Health, Safety and Wellness: Janna Fonseca

Director of Marketing and Special Programs: Alex Bass

Director of Information Management: Juli Kidd

Director of Communications and Media Relations: Brandon Moree

Executive Assistant/Office Manager: Kim Newman

Annual Meeting: May

Other full-time office employees: 2

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NORTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1923)..... 170 33,000

Executive Director: **MATTHEW J. FETSCH**, (PO Box 817), 350 2nd St. NW., Valley City 58072

Associate Director: Brian Bubach*•#

Assistant Director: Justin Fletschock

Assistant Director: Kevin Morast

Media Specialist: Tom Mix

Technology Director: Nick Walton

Publication: NDHSAA Bulletin Annual Meeting: April

Other full-time office employees: 2

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OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1924)..... 817 658,000

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Senior Director of Officiating: Beau Rugg

Senior Director of Sport Management: John Kronour

Senior Director of Communications: Bob Goldring

Director of Media Relations: Tim Stried

Chief Financial Officer: Laura Vermilya

Monthly Meetings: August, September, October, January, February, April, June

Other full-time office employees: 14

Phone: 614-267-2502; Fax: 614.267.1677

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OKLAHOMA SECONDARY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1924)..... 482 181,000

Executive Director: **DAVID JACKSON**, (PO Box 14590 [73113-0590]),

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Assistant Director: Lenny Hatchett

Assistant Director: Grant Gower

Assistant Director: Mike Clark

Assistant Director: Brian Lester

Assistant Director: Wes Ruth

Assistant Director: Alex Claussen*•#

Annual Meeting: October

Other full-time office employees: 8

Phone: 405-840-1116; Fax: 405.840.9559

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OREGON SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1931)..... 301 170,000

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Assistant Executive Director: Kris Welch•

Assistant Executive Director: Lauren Brownrigg•

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IT Systems Administrator: Gibby Reynolds

Semiannual Meetings: October, April

Other full-time office employees: 3

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Weber**

PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC. (1924)..... 784 439,000

Executive Director: **DR. ROBERT A. LOMBARDI**, 550 Gettysburg Road,

Mechanicsburg 17055-0708

Chief Operating Officer: Mark E. Byers

Associate Executive Director: Patrick B. Gebhart

Assistant Executive Director: Jennifer S. Grassel

Assistant Executive Director: Lyndsay A. Barna

Assistant Executive Director: Keenan M. Huss

Meetings: July, September, October, December, January, February, March and May

Other full-time office employees: 9

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**Bob
Lombardi**

RHODE ISLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE, INC. (1952)73 47,000

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Assistant Executive Director: Thomas H. Marcello

Assistant Director – Communications & Student Services: Carolyn Thornton

Business Manager: Donna Kane

Publication: Online Bulletin

Meetings: August, November, January, March and June

Other office employees: 3

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Lunney**

SOUTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE (1947)..... 223 224,000

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Deputy Commissioner: Charlie Wentzky

Associate Commissioner: Amy Boozer

Associate Commissioner: Sarah Hayes

Assistant Commissioner for Middle School Athletics: Dr. Lenard Hudnal

Director of Educational Services: Dr. Curtrell Rhodan

Director of Sports, Health, Safety & Wellness: Timothy Kinney

Director of Communications and Public Relations: Romanda Noble-Watson

Director of Finance: Cindi Drakeford

Director of Technology: Keith Warren

Director of Executive Affairs: Deanna Lott

Arbiter Booking Coordinator: Jill White

Office Manager, Coordinator of Events: Brooke Baker

Office Coordinator: Maeocheisha Jenkins-Suber

Publication: TuesNews (web newsletter)

Annual Meeting: March

Other full-time office employees: 0

Phone: 803-798-0120

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Singleton**

SOUTH DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1923)..... 181 47,000

Executive Director: **DR. DANIEL SWARTOS**, (PO Box 1217), 804 N. Euclid, Suite 102,

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Assistant Executive Director: Kristina Sage

Assistant Executive Director: Brooks Bowman*#

Assistant Executive Director: Randy Soma

Technology Director: Aaron Magnuson

Finance Director: Ryan Mikkelsen

Annual Meeting: April

Other full-time office employees: 3

Phone: 605-224-9261; Fax: 605.224.9262

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Swartos**

TENNESSEE SECONDARY SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1925) 474 315,000

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Assistant Executive Director: E.J. Wood

Assistant Executive Director: Joe Blair

Assistant Executive Director: Matthew Gillespie

Assistant Executive Director: Richard McWhirter

Assistant Executive Director: Emily Crowell

Director of Eligibility/Manager of Executive Affairs: Lauren Jones

Coordinator of Sports/TSSAA Hall of Fame: Heather Carter

Finance Director: Brenda Dwyer

Administrative Specialist: Lamar Lee

Coordinator of Officials Registration: Kim Alley

Director of Marketing/Director of Student Services: Courtney Brunetz

Technology Director: Bradley Lambert

Technology Coordinator: Shonnie Speicher

Administrative Specialist: Paul Griffith

Coordinator of Sports Information and Digital Content: Lexie Crawford

Publication: TSSAA News Annual Meeting: November

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Reeves**

TEXAS UNIVERSITY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE (1969) 1,658 1,667,000

Executive Director: **DR. JAMEY HARRISON**, 1701 Manor Road, Austin 78722

Chief of Staff: Kim Carmichael

Director of Athletics: Ray Zepeda

Director of Academics: Dr. David Stevens

Director of Music: Dr. Brad Kent•

Director of Compliance Services: Dr. Joel Nolte

Director of Eligibility and Education: Dr. Mark Cousins

Director of Compliance: Darryl Beasley

Director of Policy: Dr. Kevin Jones

Assistant Academic Director: Jana Riggins*

Assistant Academic Director: Alyssa Boehringer

Assistant Academic Director: David Trussell

Assistant Academic Director: Paula Rodriguez#

Assistant Academic Director: Lisa Parker

Assistant Music Director: Gabe Musella•

Assistant Athletic Director: A.J. Martinez

Assistant Athletic Director: Grace McDowell

Assistant Athletic Director: Joseph Garmon

Assistant Athletic Director: Virginia Flores

Waiver Officer: Nakita Guillory

Publication: Leaguer Council Meeting: October

Other full-time office employees: 29

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UTAH HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1927)..... 160 168,000

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Assistant Director: Brenan Jackson•

Assistant Director: Chris Shipman*

Assistant Director: Missy MacKay-Whiteurs#

Assistant Director: Jan Whittaker

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Publication: UHSAA Update Annual Meeting: As called

Other part-time office employees: 3

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VERMONT PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION, INC. (1945).....72 43,000

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Assistant Executive Director/Professional Development: Mike McRaith

Assistant Executive Director/Professional Development: Erica McLaughlin

Finance Manager: Heidi Gerrish

Administrative Assistant: Mallori Longevin

Meetings: May

Other full-time office employees: 0

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Nichols**

VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE (1948)..... 319 399,000

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Assistant Director: Kelley Haney

Assistant Director: Shawn Knight

Assistant Director: Chris Robinson

Assistant Director: Laura Parker

Director of Communications: Mike McCall

General Manager, VHSL Sports Properties: Austin Wood

Office Manager: Carrie Little

Publication: Leaguer Meetings: October and March

Other full-time office employees: 5

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WASHINGTON INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION (1936) 421 323,000

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Assistant Executive Director: Andy Barnes

Assistant Executive Director: Justin Kesterson

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Assistant Executive Director: Dr. Jaclyn Swayne
Assistant Executive Director: Dan Comer
Assistant Executive Director: Chris Wells
Director of Compliance: Jason Bankston
Publication: The Interscholastic Annual Meeting: April
Other full-time office employees: 5
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Ryan**

WISCONSIN INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1920) 514 274,000
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Stevens Point 54482-8833
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Assistant Director: Kassie Mortimer
Assistant Director: Chad Schultz
Assistant Director: LeVar Ridgeway
Assistant Director: Jake Beschta
Assistant Director: Melissa Gehring
Communications Director: Todd Clark
Technology Coordinator: Mark Gutknecht
Marketing and Brand Manager: Megan Loken
Publication: WIAA Bulletin Annual Meeting: April
Other full-time office employees: 10
Phone: 715-344-8580
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Associate Commissioner: Chad Whitworth
Assistant Commissioner: Brent Rose*#
Technology Director: Scott McCash
Director of Officiating: Mike Maloney
Meetings: September, November, February and April
Other full-time office employees: 1
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Wilson**

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Total Students: 15,236,000

DIRECTORY OF AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP

ARTS ED NEW JERSEY (2007) 120 100,000

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Executive Director: **BRAD VAN RAALTE**

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Director of Operations: Dave Saengsathit

Publications: Annual Handbook, Yearbook and Wall Calendar, e-newsletter

Semiannual Meetings: May and December

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CANADA: BC SCHOOL SPORTS (1969) 402 282,000

Executive Director: **JORDAN ABNEY**

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Financial Officer: Merrill Thorp

Publications: Annual Handbook

Meetings: May, October

Full-time office employees: 2; 1 Part-time

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Executive Director: **CHAD FALK**

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Secretary: Jo-Ann Waskul

Publications: MHSAA, INC. "PACER" (bimonthly), Annual Handbook

Annual Meeting: June

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CANADA: RSEQ (1990) 740 450,000

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General Assembly: October

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CANADA: SASKATCHEWAN HIGH SCHOOLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1953)..... 387 46,000

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Other full-time employees: 5

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2	7/13—7/19	7/12—7/18	7/11—7/17	7/9—7/15	7/8—7/14
3	7/20—7/26	7/19—7/25	7/18—7/24	7/16—7/22	7/15—7/21
4	7/27—8/2	7/26—8/1	7/25—7/31	7/23—7/29	7/22—7/28
5	8/3—8/9	8/2—8/8	8/1—8/7	7/30—8/5	7/29—8/4
6	8/10—8/16	8/9—8/15	8/8—8/14	8/6—8/12	8/5—8/11
7	8/17—8/23	8/16—8/22	8/15—8/21	8/13—8/19	8/12—8/18
8	8/24—8/30	8/23—8/29	8/22—8/28	8/20—8/26	8/19—8/25
9	8/31—9/6	8/30—9/5	8/29—9/4	8/27—9/2	8/26—9/1
10	9/7—9/13	9/6—9/12	9/5—9/11	9/3—9/9	9/2—9/8
11	9/14—9/20	9/13—9/19	9/12—9/18	9/10—9/16	9/9—9/15
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13	9/28—10/4	9/27—10/3	9/26—10/2	9/24—9/30	9/23—9/29
14	10/5—10/11	10/4—10/10	10/3—10/9	10/1—10/7	9/30—10/6
15	10/12—10/18	10/11—10/17	10/10—10/16	10/8—10/14	10/7—10/13
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18	11/2—11/8	11/1—11/7	10/31—11/6	10/29—11/4	10/28—11/3
19	11/9—11/15	11/8—11/14	11/7—11/13	11/5—11/11	11/4—11/10
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23	12/7—12/13	12/6—12/12	12/5—12/11	12/3—12/9	12/2—12/8
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26	12/28—1/3	12/27—1/2	12/26—1/1	12/24—12/30	12/23—12/29
27	1/4—1/10	1/3—1/9	1/2—1/8	12/31—1/6	12/30—1/5
28	1/11—1/17	1/10—1/16	1/9—1/15	1/7—1/13	1/6—1/12
29	1/18—1/24	1/17—1/23	1/16—1/22	1/14—1/20	1/13—1/19
30	1/25—1/31	1/24—1/30	1/23—1/29	1/21—1/27	1/20—1/26
31	2/1—2/7	1/31—2/6	1/30—2/5	1/28—2/3	1/27—2/2
32	2/8—2/14	2/7—2/13	2/6—2/12	2/4—2/10	2/3—2/9
33	2/15—2/21	2/14—2/20	2/13—2/19	2/11—2/17	2/10—2/16
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43	4/26—5/2	4/25—5/1	4/23—4/29	4/22—4/28	4/21*—4/27
44	5/3—5/9	5/2—5/8	4/30—5/6	4/29—5/5	4/28—5/4
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48	5/31—6/6	5/30—6/5**	5/28—6/3**	5/27—6/2**	5/26—6/1**
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